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INTRODUCTION.

The present annual summary completes the discussion of the meteorology of India for the year 1894.

It should be noted that in the monthly reviews it is attempted to present the facts and data from two different points of view. Meteorological data in India are chiefly utilised for the following purposes :—

- 1st, in the discussion of the prevalence and spread of diseases, more especially of cholera and other diseases of an epidemic character ;
- 2nd, in connection with agricultural questions, more especially the progress and character of the crops as determined by the weather conditions of the period.

India has hence been divided into two groups of divisions from what may be termed the medical and agricultural stand-points. For the comparison of medical and meteorological statistics, India is arranged into the following provinces, which are believed to be fairly homogeneous so far as the conditions of the prevalence of the more common diseases are concerned :—

- (1) Burma Coast and Bay Islands.
- (2) Burma Inland.
- (3) Assam.
- (4) Bengal and Orissa.
- (5) Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur.
- (6) Upper Sub-Himalayas, including the submontane districts of the North-Western Provinces and the Punjab, and the North and Central Punjab.
- (7) Indus Valley and West Rajputana.
- (8) East Rajputana, Central India, and Gujarat.
- (9) Deccan.
- (10) West Coast.
- (11) South India.

The data for each of these divisions are given in Table I in larger figures, and the portion of each monthly review entitled "Summary of the chief features of the weather in India during the month" is intended to give a sketch of the broader and more important features of the weather in India for the use of those who study the relations between the prevalence and spread of diseases and the weather conditions prevailing at the time in India.

According to the second method of arrangement into meteorological divisions, India is divided into 52 meteorological districts, or divisions, or areas from the agricultural stand-point, each of which is fairly homogeneous so far as the distribution of rainfall and the general character

of the crops and the conditions of their growth are concerned. The following gives the two series of divisions arranged under the respective political areas or provinces to which they belong :—

| Political division or province. | Meteorological division. | Meteorological province. |
|-----------------------------------|--|--|
| BURMA | Tenasserim . . . | Burma Coast and Bay Islands. |
| | Lower Burma . . . | |
| | Arakan . . . | |
| | Central Burma . . . | Burma Inland. |
| | Upper Burma . . . | |
| ASSAM | Assam (Surma) . . . | Assam. |
| | " (Brahmaputra) . . . | |
| BENGAL | East Bengal . . . | Bengal and Orissa. |
| | Deltaic Bengal . . . | |
| | Central Bengal . . . | |
| | North Bengal . . . | |
| | Orissa . . . | |
| | Chota Nagpur . . . | |
| | Bihar, South . . . | |
| | " North . . . | |
| NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES AND OUDH. | North-Western Provinces, East . . . | Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur. |
| | Oudh, North . . . | |
| | " South . . . | |
| | North-Western Provinces, Himalayas . . . | |
| PUNJAB | North-West Provinces, Sub-montane . . . | Upper Sub-Himalayas. |
| | Punjab, Central . . . | |
| | " Sub-montane . . . | |
| | " North . . . | |
| RAJPUTANA | Punjab, West . . . | |
| | Sind and Cutch . . . | |
| | Rajputana, West . . . | |
| | " East . . . | Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. |
| | Kathiawar . . . | |
| CENTRAL INDIA | Central India . . . | |
| BOMBAY | Gujarat . . . | |
| NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES. | North-Western Provinces, West . . . | |
| BOMBAY | Bombay Deccan . . . | Deccan. |
| | Khandesh . . . | |
| BERAR | Berar . . . | |
| CENTRAL PROVINCES. | Central Provinces, West . . . | Deccan. |
| | " " Central . . . | |
| | " " East . . . | |

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| Political division or province. | Meteorological division. | Meteorological province. |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| HYDERABAD OR THE NIZAM'S DOMINIONS. | Hyderabad, North. | Deccan. |
| | " South | |
| BOMBAY. | Konkan | West Coast. |
| | Malabar | |
| | Madras, South | |
| | " South Central | |
| MADRAS. | " East Coast, South | South India. |
| | " Central | |
| | Madras, East Coast North | |
| COORG AND MYSORE. | Coorg, Mysore. | |

The double grouping is shown in Plate I at the end of this part.

The data of Table I in the monthly reviews and in the present annual part are obtained, with a few exceptions, from the observations telegraphed daily to Simla for publication in the Daily Weather Report. In the case of thermometric observations, they are telegraphed to the nearest half degree. Hence the maximum and minimum temperature data of the second class observatories derived from these telegraphic reports given in that table occasionally differ to some slight extent from the means of the more

exact data (recorded to tenths of a degree) tabulated in the observation forms sent into the Calcutta Office, and which are used in the calculation of the mean temperature data in Table II. There is also another reason why the mean maximum and minimum data in Tables I and II differ to a slight extent. In Table I the daily or 24 hours period is assumed to end at 8 A.M., and in Table II at 4 P.M., and hence the maximum temperature in Table I for any month of thirty-one days at any station gives the mean for thirty-one periods of 24 hours ending at 8 A.M. of the 31st, and in Table II for the same number of 24 hours periods ending at 4 P.M. on the 31st, and hence virtually of a monthly period one day in advance of the former. Similarly for months of 28, 29 or 30 days. These remarks will explain some of the slight discrepancies which may be found between the maxima and minima temperature mean data in Tables I and II, and hence also in the monthly mean variation data given in these tables in the monthly reviews and annual summary.

The methods of exposure of the instruments at observatories in India, and of the reduction of the observations and the calculation of mean data, have been fully stated and explained in the Annual Reports on the Meteorology of India, and need not be repeated. The reader is referred more especially to the Annual Report of the year 1885 and to the "Instructions to Observers of the Indian Meteorological Department" recently issued for full information on this subject.

Temperature.

The methods of exposing the thermometer at observatories in India and of deducing the daily and monthly means from the observed readings of the instruments are described in pages 18-19 of the Annual Report for 1890.

The variations of the mean temperature of each month from the normal given in Table II of the monthly reviews are deduced by a comparison of the actual monthly means with the normal monthly means obtained by the same methods given in Table XII of average monthly temperatures of 88 stations in India and Ceylon, etc., in pages 19 to 22 of the Annual Report for the year 1890. Average data for 134 stations will also be found in pages 39 to 42 of the Annual Report for the year 1887.

In Table I published in each monthly review, as in the Daily Weather Report, the mean temperature of the day is calculated by the formula, $\text{daily mean} = \frac{\text{maximum} + \text{minimum}}{2}$. It differs from the true daily mean by amounts varying slightly with the season. The variations of the daily or monthly means obtained by this method from normal daily or monthly means similarly calculated, usually differ very little from those obtained by the more laborious computation of true daily means and the comparison of

these with normal true daily means. In Table I the variations of the monthly mean maximum and minimum temperature from the normal as well as the variations of the monthly mean temperature (*i.e.*, $\frac{\text{maximum} + \text{minimum}}{2}$) are given.

Normal monthly mean maximum and minimum temperatures of 94 stations calculated from the observations of the eleven years period 1878-1888 were given in the Annual Summary for 1891. The additional data for the years 1889-93 have been recently utilized to furnish what are probably slightly more accurate means than those given in the 1891 Annual Summary: The re-calculated means are given in the three following tables. Table I gives the monthly mean maximum temperatures and the annual mean maximum temperatures for 135 stations in India. Table II gives similar information for the minimum temperature, and Table III gives the normal mean daily range of temperature for each month of the year and for the whole year at the same stations.

These averages are derived from observations of the same period of 16 years (1878-93) for all the stations, with the exception of those named in the following small table,

which also states the number of years for which trustworthy temperature observations were available and utilized in each case :—

| Station. | Period for which trustworthy data are available. | Station. | Period for which trustworthy data are available. | Station. | Period for which trustworthy data are available. | Station. | Period for which trustworthy data are available. |
|-------------------|--|-----------------------|--|--------------------|--|---------------------|--|
| Dhubri | 1881-93. | Midnapore | 1883-93. | Mymensingh | 1883-93. | Sambhar | 1880-93. |
| Motibari | 1883-93. | Balasore | ditto. | Sirajganj | ditto. | Mangalore | ditto. |
| Chapra | ditto. | Bhagalpur | ditto. | Faridpur | ditto. | Rajahmundry | 1884-93. |
| Arrah | ditto. | Naya Dumka | ditto. | Krishnagar | 1885-93. | Mercara | 1880-93. |
| Buxar | ditto. | Jalpaiguri | ditto. | Barisal | 1883-93. | Calicut | ditto. |
| Dehri | ditto. | Rangpur | ditto. | Noakhali | ditto. | Kurnool | 1885-93. |
| Ranchi | ditto. | Dinajpur | ditto. | Comilla | ditto. | Darjeeling | 1882-93. |
| Chaibassa | ditto. | Malda | 1888-93. | Bickaneer | 1880-93. | Cuddapah | 1884-93. |
| Raniganj | ditto. | Bogra | 1885-93. | Jeypore | 1881-93. | Kindat | 1887-93. |
| Bankura | 1885-93. | Rampur Boalia | 1883-93. | | | | |

TABLE I.—Average monthly maximum temperatures of 133 stations in India, etc.

| STATION. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|------------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| Moulmein | 88.3 | 91.3 | 93.9 | 94.3 | 90.0 | 84.3 | 82.7 | 83.2 | 84.5 | 88.2 | 88.3 | 87.2 | 88.0 |
| Toungoo | 85.3 | 90.7 | 97.7 | 100.1 | 96.2 | 88.4 | 86.4 | 86.3 | 88.6 | 89.7 | 87.0 | 84.0 | 90.0 |
| Rangoon | 88.7 | 92.4 | 96.3 | 98.0 | 92.5 | 86.2 | 85.0 | 84.9 | 85.5 | 87.2 | 87.3 | 87.3 | 89.3 |
| Bassein | 85.4 | 89.5 | 94.3 | 95.9 | 92.0 | 86.1 | 84.8 | 84.4 | 85.3 | 87.0 | 85.9 | 84.4 | 87.9 |
| Diamond Island | 83.9 | 84.1 | 85.7 | 88.8 | 89.0 | 85.5 | 84.5 | 84.4 | 84.8 | 86.4 | 85.7 | 84.3 | 85.6 |
| Akyab | 81.4 | 84.6 | 88.9 | 91.9 | 90.5 | 85.9 | 84.6 | 84.4 | 86.6 | 87.9 | 85.5 | 81.9 | 86.2 |
| Thayetmyo | 85.4 | 92.4 | 99.7 | 103.0 | 99.4 | 91.0 | 88.8 | 88.8 | 89.7 | 90.1 | 87.5 | 84.4 | 91.7 |
| Kindat | 75.8 | 81.5 | 89.9 | 96.5 | 95.7 | 90.6 | 89.2 | 88.8 | 89.2 | 87.4 | 82.0 | 75.7 | 86.9 |
| Silchar | 77.2 | 79.9 | 85.3 | 87.6 | 88.0 | 88.7 | 90.0 | 89.2 | 89.7 | 88.8 | 84.7 | 79.5 | 85.7 |
| Sibsagar | 69.9 | 72.7 | 79.2 | 82.6 | 86.3 | 89.7 | 90.8 | 89.8 | 83.6 | 85.1 | 78.4 | 71.7 | 82.1 |
| Dhubri | 73.5 | 77.1 | 86.5 | 88.1 | 85.9 | 85.6 | 87.4 | 86.5 | 85.8 | 85.0 | 80.0 | 74.6 | 83.0 |
| Chittagong | 77.8 | 81.5 | 86.2 | 88.6 | 88.0 | 86.2 | 85.5 | 85.2 | 86.6 | 86.4 | 82.8 | 77.9 | 84.4 |
| Noakhali | 77.3 | 79.7 | 85.8 | 88.8 | 88.5 | 86.6 | 85.2 | 85.2 | 86.2 | 86.2 | 82.7 | 77.9 | 84.2 |
| Comilla | 78.2 | 80.9 | 88.1 | 91.3 | 90.0 | 88.2 | 87.2 | 87.1 | 88.2 | 87.8 | 83.5 | 79.0 | 85.8 |
| Sirajganj | 75.8 | 79.0 | 88.9 | 94.4 | 90.4 | 89.0 | 87.8 | 86.8 | 87.6 | 87.1 | 82.1 | 76.7 | 85.5 |
| Narayanganj | 78.2 | 83.7 | 90.0 | 93.2 | 90.8 | 89.0 | 88.3 | 87.7 | 88.5 | 88.0 | 83.7 | 78.4 | 86.6 |
| Barisal | 76.5 | 80.0 | 87.9 | 91.2 | 91.1 | 89.0 | 86.6 | 86.3 | 87.5 | 87.5 | 82.2 | 77.2 | 85.3 |
| Mymensingh | 74.5 | 77.8 | 86.5 | 90.4 | 88.3 | 87.2 | 87.5 | 87.2 | 87.6 | 86.8 | 82.3 | 76.5 | 84.4 |
| Faridpur | 74.1 | 77.7 | 85.6 | 92.9 | 90.9 | 88.9 | 87.2 | 86.5 | 86.9 | 86.2 | 81.2 | 74.5 | 84.4 |

TABLE I.—Average monthly maximum temperatures of 133 stations in India, etc.—contd.

| STATION. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|-------------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| Jessore | 78°0 | 83°1 | 92°5 | 97°3 | 94°2 | 91°6 | 89°4 | 88°7 | 89°1 | 88°6 | 83°3 | 77°8 | 87°8 |
| Calcutta | 76°9 | 81°6 | 90°4 | 95°4 | 93°5 | 91°3 | 88°0 | 87°1 | 87°4 | 86°6 | 81°2 | 76°1 | 86°3 |
| Saugor Island | 76°6 | 80°9 | 87°2 | 90°8 | 91°5 | 90°7 | 87°8 | 87°2 | 87°8 | 86°8 | 81°4 | 75°8 | 85°4 |
| Krishnagar | 77°8 | 81°5 | 91°3 | 98°5 | 96°5 | 93°2 | 89°5 | 88°9 | 88°8 | 88°4 | 82°7 | 77°7 | 87°9 |
| Midnapore | 81°0 | 84°6 | 94°3 | 102°3 | 99°8 | 95°2 | 89°8 | 88°8 | 89°3 | 88°9 | 83°4 | 79°6 | 89°8 |
| Bankura | 78°6 | 82°2 | 92°9 | 102°4 | 100°1 | 95°4 | 89°7 | 88°5 | 89°1 | 88°7 | 83°0 | 77°7 | 88°2 |
| Raniganj | 78°1 | 81°7 | 93°2 | 102°4 | 100°6 | 95°9 | 90°0 | 89°0 | 89°4 | 89°0 | 83°5 | 78°0 | 89°2 |
| Burdwan | 78°5 | 83°2 | 93°6 | 100°6 | 97°2 | 94°1 | 90°2 | 89°2 | 89°5 | 88°7 | 82°7 | 77°7 | 88°8 |
| Naya Dumka | 75°7 | 79°7 | 91°4 | 100°1 | 98°4 | 94°0 | 88°6 | 87°7 | 88°2 | 87°4 | 81°4 | 75°7 | 87°4 |
| Berhampore | 76°8 | 81°9 | 92°8 | 100°2 | 95°7 | 92°6 | 89°4 | 88°5 | 88°8 | 87°7 | 81°8 | 76°5 | 87°7 |
| Rampur Boalia | 75°3 | 78°7 | 89°3 | 96°3 | 93°7 | 91°5 | 88°9 | 87°8 | 88°2 | 87°6 | 81°7 | 76°1 | 86°3 |
| Malda | 76°2 | 79°5 | 90°3 | 97°1 | 96°0 | 92°4 | 90°0 | 89°5 | 89°3 | 88°2 | 82°7 | 76°9 | 87°3 |
| Bogra | 75°7 | 79°1 | 89°5 | 95°6 | 92°2 | 89°3 | 88°6 | 87°9 | 88°0 | 86°9 | 82°1 | 76°9 | 86°0 |
| Dinajpur | 75°3 | 78°4 | 89°2 | 94°6 | 91°1 | 89°2 | 89°1 | 88°7 | 88°5 | 87°4 | 82°4 | 76°6 | 85°9 |
| Rangpur | 74°5 | 77°2 | 87°3 | 91°4 | 88°9 | 88°4 | 89°4 | 89°1 | 88°4 | 87°3 | 82°2 | 76°2 | 85°0 |
| Jalpaiguri | 73°1 | 74°9 | 85°0 | 89°0 | 87°6 | 87°5 | 88°2 | 87°8 | 87°3 | 86°3 | 81°7 | 75°3 | 83°6 |
| Balasore | 80°1 | 83°5 | 91°1 | 97°4 | 95°6 | 92°6 | 88°4 | 87°3 | 87°6 | 87°8 | 82°7 | 78°8 | 87°7 |
| False Point | 78°8 | 82°6 | 87°6 | 90°6 | 91°1 | 90°8 | 87°6 | 87°0 | 87°8 | 87°3 | 81°9 | 77°3 | 85°9 |
| Cuttack | 84°6 | 90°0 | 96°8 | 102°3 | 101°4 | 95°9 | 89°8 | 89°3 | 89°8 | 89°9 | 85°0 | 82°0 | 91°4 |
| Hazaribagh | 72°8 | 77°7 | 88°7 | 98°2 | 98°3 | 92°5 | 84°5 | 83°6 | 84°4 | 83°1 | 76°7 | 71°6 | 84°3 |
| Ranchi | 73°7 | 76°8 | 87°1 | 97°5 | 98°0 | 91°8 | 83°7 | 82°9 | 83°2 | 82°7 | 76°4 | 72°0 | 83°8 |
| Chaibassa | 80°2 | 83°7 | 94°1 | 104°1 | 103°4 | 97°0 | 89°2 | 88°6 | 88°7 | 88°1 | 82°5 | 78°1 | 89°8 |
| Gaya | 75°7 | 81°3 | 93°7 | 103°6 | 104°1 | 99°9 | 91°4 | 90°1 | 90°8 | 89°3 | 82°4 | 75°8 | 89°8 |
| Dahri | 75°0 | 78°6 | 91°3 | 103°1 | 105°2 | 99°9 | 89°9 | 88°3 | 88°4 | 89°0 | 83°0 | 76°3 | 89°0 |
| Patna | 72°7 | 78°0 | 91°1 | 100°9 | 99°6 | 96°6 | 90°3 | 89°3 | 90°2 | 88°3 | 81°4 | 74°1 | 87°7 |
| Arrah | 73°5 | 77°8 | 91°3 | 100°9 | 101°6 | 97°3 | 90°4 | 89°5 | 89°8 | 88°7 | 82°6 | 74°6 | 88°2 |
| Buxar | 73°6 | 77°7 | 90°4 | 100°0 | 101°5 | 97°0 | 89°4 | 88°4 | 88°9 | 88°4 | 82°3 | 74°7 | 87°7 |
| Purnea | 74°7 | 78°8 | 90°2 | 97°2 | 94°5 | 92°3 | 90°2 | 89°2 | 88°9 | 87°5 | 81°9 | 75°9 | 86°8 |
| Bhagalpur | 74°1 | 77°7 | 90°0 | 97°2 | 96°3 | 92°7 | 89°5 | 88°6 | 88°7 | 87°5 | 81°4 | 74°9 | 86°6 |
| Darbhanga | 72°2 | 76°2 | 87°7 | 96°3 | 95°4 | 92°3 | 89°3 | 88°4 | 88°2 | 86°3 | 80°8 | 74°1 | 85°6 |
| Motihari | 73°0 | 76°4 | 88°6 | 97°2 | 96°7 | 93°7 | 90°3 | 89°2 | 89°6 | 87°8 | 82°1 | 75°0 | 86°6 |
| Chapra | 73°4 | 77°3 | 89°5 | 99°7 | 100°3 | 96°1 | 90°8 | 89°1 | 89°7 | 88°1 | 81°9 | 74°6 | 87°5 |
| Benares | 74°4 | 80°4 | 93°3 | 103°5 | 104°6 | 101°0 | 91°4 | 89°4 | 90°9 | 89°9 | 81°9 | 74°9 | 89°7 |
| Allahabad | 74°0 | 79°7 | 93°3 | 104°0 | 106°2 | 102°4 | 91°4 | 89°8 | 90°8 | 89°9 | 82°1 | 75°0 | 89°9 |
| Gorakhpur | 73°2 | 78°0 | 90°8 | 100°8 | 100°5 | 97°7 | 90°9 | 90°1 | 90°4 | 88°7 | 81°6 | 74°3 | 88°1 |
| Lucknow | 73°8 | 78°5 | 91°4 | 102°3 | 104°1 | 101°5 | 92°0 | 90°6 | 91°7 | 90°9 | 82°9 | 75°5 | 89°6 |
| Bareilly | 70°3 | 74°9 | 87°6 | 99°5 | 102°5 | 100°7 | 91°2 | 90°0 | 90°3 | 89°2 | 80°9 | 72°7 | 87°5 |

TABLE I.—Average monthly maximum temperatures of 133 stations in India, etc.—contd.

| STATION. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|-----------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| Dehra Dun | 65.6 | 68.8 | 79.4 | 90.2 | 93.7 | 93.4 | 85.3 | 83.9 | 84.3 | 81.7 | 74.2 | 68.3 | 80.7 |
| Roorkee | 69.5 | 73.2 | 85.8 | 98.1 | 102.1 | 101.4 | 92.9 | 90.7 | 91.2 | 89.1 | 80.4 | 72.5 | 87.2 |
| Meerut | 70.1 | 74.4 | 86.9 | 98.4 | 101.9 | 101.4 | 92.9 | 90.6 | 91.6 | 90.0 | 81.0 | 73.0 | 87.7 |
| Delhi | 71.0 | 75.1 | 88.2 | 100.4 | 104.3 | 104.2 | 94.0 | 91.6 | 92.6 | 91.8 | 83.0 | 74.3 | 89.2 |
| Lahore | 67.4 | 70.5 | 83.7 | 96.6 | 102.8 | 105.6 | 98.6 | 96.0 | 96.7 | 93.2 | 81.3 | 71.5 | 88.7 |
| Ludhiana | 67.6 | 71.5 | 85.2 | 97.6 | 104.2 | 105.8 | 97.9 | 95.3 | 94.8 | 91.9 | 80.4 | 71.3 | 88.6 |
| Sialkot | 66.6 | 69.3 | 81.8 | 94.9 | 102.4 | 105.6 | 97.6 | 94.0 | 95.3 | 92.0 | 80.6 | 70.2 | 87.5 |
| Rawalpindi | 63.3 | 64.4 | 76.7 | 88.0 | 97.2 | 102.7 | 97.4 | 93.5 | 93.4 | 88.0 | 76.7 | 67.6 | 84.1 |
| Peshawar | 63.9 | 65.7 | 76.7 | 86.6 | 98.1 | 105.5 | 102.7 | 99.0 | 95.7 | 88.4 | 77.0 | 67.8 | 85.6 |
| D. I. Khan | 69.1 | 71.7 | 84.0 | 94.3 | 103.3 | 107.7 | 103.6 | 101.5 | 100.6 | 94.1 | 81.9 | 73.0 | 90.4 |
| Mooltan | 69.8 | 72.9 | 86.3 | 97.8 | 104.7 | 106.7 | 103.2 | 100.3 | 99.7 | 95.0 | 84.1 | 73.7 | 91.2 |
| Sirsa | 70.9 | 75.1 | 85.7 | 100.5 | 106.2 | 106.5 | 100.0 | 97.5 | 98.2 | 95.9 | 84.3 | 74.9 | 91.3 |
| Jacobabad | 73.3 | 77.1 | 91.1 | 102.1 | 110.4 | 111.9 | 107.4 | 103.6 | 103.0 | 98.0 | 85.9 | 76.6 | 95.0 |
| Hyderabad | 76.5 | 80.0 | 93.3 | 101.9 | 106.8 | 103.2 | 98.8 | 95.3 | 97.2 | 97.4 | 87.2 | 78.6 | 93.0 |
| Kurrachee | 76.6 | 79.0 | 86.0 | 89.5 | 92.9 | 93.4 | 90.1 | 87.7 | 88.3 | 91.2 | 87.0 | 80.0 | 86.8 |
| Bhuj | 80.1 | 83.8 | 93.7 | 100.2 | 101.5 | 97.2 | 90.1 | 88.5 | 91.7 | 95.7 | 88.3 | 82.0 | 91.1 |
| Bickaneer | 71.8 | 75.2 | 89.4 | 100.6 | 106.4 | 106.0 | 100.1 | 96.3 | 97.9 | 95.6 | 83.9 | 75.2 | 91.5 |
| Jeypore | 73.7 | 77.9 | 90.0 | 100.5 | 105.5 | 102.8 | 91.8 | 89.9 | 92.8 | 93.2 | 84.6 | 77.6 | 90.0 |
| Sambhar | 72.4 | 76.4 | 88.2 | 99.1 | 104.3 | 101.7 | 91.9 | 89.2 | 91.6 | 91.6 | 82.5 | 75.3 | 88.7 |
| Ajmere | 74.0 | 77.3 | 89.3 | 98.6 | 103.2 | 100.3 | 90.9 | 87.5 | 90.4 | 91.4 | 83.1 | 76.2 | 88.5 |
| Deesa | 82.7 | 85.7 | 95.9 | 102.9 | 106.2 | 101.6 | 91.3 | 88.3 | 92.3 | 96.0 | 90.4 | 85.1 | 93.2 |
| Rajkot | 84.2 | 87.5 | 96.3 | 102.2 | 105.4 | 99.9 | 90.1 | 88.7 | 90.9 | 95.2 | 89.9 | 85.4 | 93.0 |
| Nowgong | 75.3 | 80.3 | 93.3 | 103.8 | 107.3 | 102.5 | 90.0 | 88.3 | 90.5 | 90.4 | 82.0 | 75.2 | 89.9 |
| Indore | 78.9 | 82.5 | 92.6 | 100.2 | 102.4 | 94.2 | 84.0 | 82.6 | 84.8 | 87.1 | 81.8 | 78.5 | 87.5 |
| Neemuch | 77.4 | 80.5 | 91.9 | 100.4 | 103.9 | 98.4 | 86.9 | 84.5 | 87.4 | 89.9 | 83.4 | 77.9 | 88.5 |
| Surat | 86.3 | 89.5 | 96.1 | 100.2 | 98.2 | 93.7 | 87.1 | 86.9 | 88.2 | 92.3 | 89.9 | 86.7 | 91.3 |
| Agra | 73.5 | 78.2 | 91.5 | 102.8 | 106.7 | 104.8 | 92.9 | 90.4 | 92.2 | 92.9 | 84.0 | 76.0 | 90.5 |
| Jhansi | 76.0 | 80.5 | 93.1 | 103.8 | 107.4 | 103.2 | 90.7 | 88.5 | 90.9 | 92.4 | 84.1 | 78.1 | 90.7 |
| Belgaum | 83.1 | 88.6 | 93.8 | 96.4 | 93.1 | 80.7 | 75.6 | 76.1 | 78.5 | 82.4 | 81.6 | 81.2 | 84.3 |
| Sholapur | 87.3 | 93.8 | 100.5 | 105.2 | 104.3 | 94.3 | 88.8 | 88.4 | 88.0 | 89.1 | 86.9 | 84.9 | 92.6 |
| Poona | 85.1 | 90.8 | 97.1 | 101.1 | 98.5 | 88.5 | 81.8 | 81.7 | 83.8 | 87.5 | 85.2 | 83.4 | 88.7 |
| Malegaon | 85.1 | 89.8 | 97.3 | 102.8 | 103.7 | 94.5 | 86.7 | 86.1 | 87.1 | 89.6 | 85.7 | 83.4 | 91.0 |
| Akola | 84.4 | 90.3 | 98.8 | 105.7 | 107.1 | 97.5 | 88.1 | 87.1 | 88.3 | 90.1 | 85.9 | 82.0 | 92.1 |
| Amraoti | 84.2 | 89.7 | 98.3 | 105.3 | 107.2 | 96.7 | 86.8 | 86.4 | 87.7 | 89.4 | 85.2 | 81.7 | 91.6 |
| Khandwa | 83.4 | 88.5 | 97.5 | 104.3 | 106.1 | 97.3 | 87.0 | 85.7 | 87.4 | 89.9 | 85.3 | 81.7 | 91.2 |
| Hoshangabad | 80.2 | 85.2 | 96.1 | 104.9 | 107.5 | 98.0 | 86.1 | 85.2 | 88.0 | 89.1 | 83.4 | 78.8 | 90.2 |
| Nagpur | 83.0 | 89.1 | 98.5 | 105.7 | 108.7 | 97.8 | 87.1 | 87.3 | 88.8 | 89.4 | 84.0 | 80.3 | 91.6 |

TABLE I.—Average monthly maximum temperatures of 133 stations in India, etc.—contd.

| STATION. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|------------------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| Chanda | 84.9 | 91.6 | 100.2 | 107.1 | 109.2 | 97.7 | 87.6 | 87.8 | 88.8 | 89.4 | 84.4 | 81.6 | 92.5 |
| Seoni | 79.0 | 83.9 | 93.5 | 101.3 | 103.2 | 93.6 | 83.5 | 83.3 | 85.3 | 86.0 | 80.6 | 77.2 | 87.5 |
| Jubbulpore | 77.2 | 81.9 | 93.1 | 101.8 | 104.9 | 96.7 | 85.6 | 84.8 | 87.0 | 86.8 | 80.8 | 76.0 | 88.1 |
| Saugor | 76.6 | 80.6 | 92.3 | 101.5 | 104.7 | 98.5 | 85.0 | 83.5 | 86.0 | 86.8 | 80.7 | 75.9 | 87.7 |
| Raipur | 81.0 | 86.8 | 96.5 | 104.3 | 106.5 | 96.7 | 86.1 | 86.2 | 87.5 | 87.8 | 82.1 | 78.3 | 90.0 |
| Sutna | 74.6 | 79.2 | 91.6 | 101.6 | 104.7 | 98.8 | 86.8 | 85.7 | 87.2 | 87.4 | 80.1 | 74.7 | 87.7 |
| Sambalpur | 82.0 | 87.9 | 97.0 | 104.9 | 106.4 | 97.3 | 87.3 | 87.5 | 89.0 | 88.7 | 83.2 | 79.3 | 90.9 |
| Hyderabad (Deccan) | 84.1 | 91.0 | 97.7 | 102.2 | 102.9 | 93.3 | 86.1 | 86.1 | 86.3 | 86.8 | 82.9 | 81.6 | 90.1 |
| Bombay | 82.3 | 82.5 | 85.6 | 88.2 | 90.0 | 87.3 | 84.2 | 83.9 | 84.3 | 87.3 | 86.5 | 84.1 | 85.5 |
| Ratnagiri | 87.4 | 86.3 | 87.7 | 89.9 | 90.9 | 86.2 | 83.7 | 83.4 | 83.9 | 88.2 | 90.4 | 89.3 | 87.3 |
| Karwar | 86.5 | 86.2 | 87.8 | 89.8 | 89.7 | 84.9 | 83.0 | 82.1 | 82.6 | 85.0 | 86.9 | 87.2 | 86.0 |
| Cochin | 88.6 | 89.5 | 90.6 | 91.1 | 89.2 | 84.5 | 83.3 | 83.2 | 84.3 | 85.7 | 86.9 | 87.9 | 87.1 |
| Calicut | 87.5 | 88.8 | 90.5 | 91.3 | 89.8 | 83.9 | 82.1 | 82.7 | 84.2 | 85.8 | 87.1 | 87.5 | 86.8 |
| Mangalore | 87.8 | 87.8 | 88.9 | 90.8 | 89.8 | 84.4 | 82.7 | 82.4 | 83.2 | 85.1 | 87.2 | 88.5 | 86.6 |
| Madura | 87.9 | 92.1 | 96.9 | 100.1 | 100.1 | 98.7 | 97.3 | 96.5 | 95.8 | 91.7 | 87.3 | 86.0 | 94.2 |
| Salem | 88.2 | 93.4 | 98.4 | 101.1 | 98.8 | 94.3 | 92.6 | 91.4 | 91.4 | 89.3 | 86.9 | 86.0 | 92.7 |
| Coimbatore | 86.6 | 92.0 | 96.3 | 98.1 | 94.8 | 89.8 | 88.0 | 88.5 | 89.5 | 88.0 | 85.9 | 84.7 | 90.2 |
| Mercara | 76.4 | 81.2 | 84.5 | 84.5 | 80.9 | 72.1 | 68.7 | 70.5 | 72.4 | 75.4 | 75.0 | 74.5 | 76.3 |
| Bangalore | 79.3 | 85.2 | 90.3 | 93.2 | 91.2 | 84.6 | 81.8 | 81.7 | 81.9 | 81.0 | 78.5 | 77.5 | 83.9 |
| Negapatam | 81.8 | 84.2 | 88.7 | 92.6 | 96.1 | 96.6 | 94.9 | 92.9 | 92.2 | 87.9 | 83.7 | 81.0 | 89.4 |
| Trichinopoly | 87.2 | 92.0 | 97.5 | 101.1 | 101.1 | 98.5 | 97.0 | 96.0 | 95.3 | 90.8 | 86.7 | 84.5 | 94.0 |
| Madras | 84.6 | 86.7 | 89.9 | 93.0 | 97.6 | 98.0 | 95.1 | 93.7 | 93.2 | 89.0 | 85.0 | 83.6 | 90.8 |
| Masulipatam | 83.3 | 86.8 | 91.4 | 94.9 | 99.2 | 97.5 | 92.1 | 91.3 | 91.3 | 89.0 | 84.7 | 82.5 | 90.3 |
| Cuddapah | 88.3 | 94.4 | 101.2 | 105.1 | 105.2 | 98.7 | 93.9 | 92.7 | 92.5 | 89.9 | 86.6 | 84.8 | 94.3 |
| Kurnool | 87.6 | 94.4 | 100.7 | 104.6 | 104.3 | 95.6 | 90.4 | 89.1 | 89.3 | 89.3 | 86.6 | 85.4 | 93.3 |
| Bellary | 87.5 | 94.1 | 100.3 | 103.9 | 102.4 | 94.7 | 90.9 | 90.8 | 90.6 | 89.4 | 86.3 | 85.3 | 93.0 |
| Rajahmundry | 86.7 | 91.7 | 95.9 | 100.4 | 102.6 | 97.3 | 88.9 | 89.4 | 90.3 | 89.4 | 86.6 | 85.5 | 92.1 |
| Cocanada | 79.3 | 83.8 | 89.6 | 94.9 | 96.9 | 94.2 | 88.2 | 88.3 | 88.5 | 86.0 | 81.8 | 79.1 | 87.6 |
| Vizagapatam | 79.0 | 82.5 | 86.2 | 88.8 | 90.3 | 90.0 | 87.5 | 87.5 | 87.3 | 85.7 | 81.4 | 78.0 | 85.4 |
| Quetta | 51.5 | 52.1 | 64.5 | 73.6 | 82.9 | 90.6 | 92.6 | 90.0 | 85.2 | 74.8 | 63.8 | 57.1 | 73.3 |
| Murree | 47.9 | 47.5 | 58.7 | 68.4 | 75.9 | 82.0 | 77.2 | 74.1 | 73.8 | 69.2 | 61.0 | 53.7 | 65.8 |
| Simla | 41.9 | 47.0 | 56.9 | 66.8 | 71.6 | 75.3 | 69.3 | 67.4 | 67.7 | 62.6 | 55.6 | 46.8 | 60.7 |
| Chakrata | 50.6 | 50.9 | 61.9 | 70.6 | 73.8 | 74.9 | 69.9 | 69.2 | 69.0 | 66.7 | 59.4 | 55.9 | 64.4 |
| Mussooree | ... | ... | ... | ... | 75.6 | 76.0 | 69.9 | 68.8 | 68.0 | 64.2 | 58.2 | 52.6 | ? |
| Ranikhet | 54.2 | 55.2 | 65.1 | 74.4 | 76.9 | 78.0 | 73.7 | 72.4 | 72.3 | 69.2 | 62.4 | 58.2 | 67.7 |
| Darjeeling | 45.0 | 46.2 | 56.7 | 61.4 | 62.7 | 65.2 | 66.8 | 66.0 | 64.8 | 60.8 | 54.5 | 48.9 | 58.3 |
| Mount Abu | 67.0 | 68.9 | 78.5 | 85.6 | 88.6 | 83.3 | 74.6 | 71.9 | 75.4 | 78.9 | 73.3 | 68.9 | 76.2 |

TABLE I.—Average monthly maximum temperatures of 133 stations in India, etc.—concl'd.

| STATION. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|----------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| Pachmarhi | 70·9 | 75·1 | 84·5 | 92·3 | 94·6 | 85·6 | 75·4 | 74·8 | 77·0 | 77·3 | 72·0 | 69·2 | 79·1 |
| Wellington | 66·5 | 70·4 | 73·7 | 75·9 | 75·6 | 71·8 | 70·8 | 70·8 | 71·0 | 68·5 | 66·8 | 56·6 | 70·6 |
| Aden | 81·6 | 82·4 | 85·2 | 90·6 | 93·7 | 94·0 | 92·6 | 91·9 | 93·6 | 91·2 | 86·2 | 82·6 | 88·8 |

TABLE II.—Average monthly minimum temperatures of 133 stations in India, etc.

| STATION. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|--------------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| Moulmein | 65·6 | 67·5 | 72·3 | 75·8 | 75·7 | 74·5 | 73·9 | 73·9 | 74·1 | 74·4 | 71·1 | 66·5 | 72·1 |
| Tongoo | 57·6 | 60·2 | 67·5 | 73·3 | 76·4 | 75·2 | 74·9 | 74·9 | 75·4 | 74·5 | 70·3 | 62·6 | 70·2 |
| Rangoon | 63·9 | 65·2 | 70·9 | 75·9 | 77·2 | 76·4 | 75·7 | 75·7 | 75·9 | 75·6 | 72·9 | 67·7 | 72·8 |
| Bassein | 61·0 | 63·9 | 70·2 | 75·1 | 76·9 | 76·2 | 75·7 | 75·6 | 75·5 | 75·0 | 71·8 | 65·3 | 71·9 |
| Diamond Island | 70·3 | 71·8 | 74·7 | 78·1 | 78·5 | 75·8 | 75·0 | 75·2 | 75·3 | 76·2 | 74·9 | 72·0 | 74·8 |
| Akyab | 59·5 | 60·9 | 68·8 | 75·7 | 77·8 | 77·9 | 77·4 | 77·2 | 78·0 | 76·8 | 71·9 | 64·4 | 72·2 |
| Thayetmyo | 53·6 | 56·0 | 66·2 | 75·4 | 77·5 | 76·4 | 76·1 | 76·0 | 75·7 | 74·0 | 68·0 | 58·9 | 69·5 |
| Kindat | 52·3 | 53·3 | 60·1 | 66·4 | 73·5 | 76·2 | 76·5 | 76·1 | 74·8 | 71·2 | 64·6 | 55·3 | 66·7 |
| Silchar | 52·3 | 55·0 | 63·4 | 68·9 | 72·1 | 76·1 | 77·1 | 76·7 | 76·3 | 72·4 | 63·8 | 55·2 | 67·4 |
| Sibsagar | 49·8 | 53·1 | 60·1 | 66·4 | 71·5 | 76·6 | 78·1 | 77·8 | 76·5 | 70·9 | 59·8 | 50·5 | 65·9 |
| Dhubri | 53·6 | 54·7 | 64·5 | 70·6 | 72·8 | 76·4 | 78·6 | 78·2 | 77·0 | 73·0 | 63·6 | 55·9 | 68·2 |
| Chittagong | 55·4 | 58·5 | 67·7 | 73·5 | 75·1 | 76·5 | 76·4 | 76·0 | 76·2 | 73·7 | 66·3 | 58·4 | 69·5 |
| Noakhali | 52·7 | 56·2 | 67·4 | 74·4 | 75·7 | 77·3 | 77·4 | 77·1 | 77·1 | 73·5 | 64·4 | 54·8 | 69·0 |
| Comilla | 53·0 | 55·8 | 67·3 | 72·9 | 74·8 | 76·6 | 76·8 | 76·5 | 76·5 | 73·3 | 64·5 | 54·6 | 68·6 |
| Sirajganj | 51·0 | 52·1 | 63·5 | 71·6 | 73·9 | 76·8 | 78·4 | 78·6 | 77·9 | 72·6 | 62·1 | 53·4 | 67·7 |
| Narayanganj | 55·0 | 57·8 | 68·4 | 74·3 | 75·5 | 78·3 | 79·2 | 78·9 | 78·7 | 75·1 | 65·9 | 57·3 | 70·4 |
| Barisal | 55·0 | 58·1 | 69·2 | 74·9 | 76·6 | 77·8 | 78·1 | 77·9 | 77·7 | 74·4 | 65·4 | 56·2 | 70·1 |
| Mymensingh | 52·4 | 53·6 | 64·1 | 71·8 | 73·5 | 76·5 | 78·1 | 77·6 | 77·1 | 73·1 | 63·2 | 54·0 | 67·3 |
| Faridpur | 53·0 | 55·1 | 67·3 | 73·0 | 74·9 | 77·5 | 78·5 | 78·7 | 78·4 | 74·2 | 64·5 | 55·5 | 69·2 |
| Jessore | 53·2 | 56·6 | 68·3 | 75·1 | 76·4 | 78·9 | 79·1 | 78·7 | 78·4 | 74·9 | 64·2 | 55·2 | 69·9 |
| Calcutta | 55·4 | 59·8 | 69·7 | 75·7 | 76·9 | 78·3 | 78·4 | 78·1 | 77·8 | 74·4 | 64·6 | 56·1 | 70·4 |
| Saugor Island | 59·4 | 65·1 | 75·0 | 79·8 | 80·5 | 81·9 | 80·4 | 79·6 | 79·4 | 76·1 | 67·0 | 59·1 | 73·0 |
| Krishnagar | 51·7 | 54·0 | 66·3 | 74·5 | 76·3 | 78·5 | 78·3 | 78·1 | 77·5 | 73·0 | 63·0 | 53·4 | 68·7 |
| Midnapore | 55·3 | 59·5 | 69·4 | 76·1 | 77·7 | 78·8 | 78·2 | 77·7 | 77·2 | 72·9 | 62·4 | 54·7 | 70·0 |
| Bankura | 54·9 | 58·1 | 68·2 | 76·1 | 77·8 | 79·1 | 78·1 | 77·8 | 77·2 | 73·0 | 62·9 | 54·7 | 69·8 |
| Raniganj | 54·2 | 56·9 | 67·4 | 75·2 | 77·5 | 79·0 | 78·2 | 77·8 | 77·1 | 72·5 | 61·3 | 53·9 | 69·3 |

TABLE II.—Average monthly minimum temperatures of 133 stations in India, etc.—contd.

| STATION. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|-------------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| Burdwan | 54.7 | 58.1 | 68.5 | 75.6 | 77.2 | 79.5 | 79.4 | 78.9 | 78.7 | 74.7 | 64.1 | 55.9 | 70.4 |
| Naya Dumka | 51.2 | 54.2 | 65.6 | 74.6 | 77.2 | 78.7 | 77.6 | 77.1 | 76.3 | 70.6 | 59.5 | 51.3 | 67.8 |
| Berhampore | 53.3 | 55.9 | 66.0 | 74.4 | 76.0 | 78.5 | 78.7 | 78.5 | 78.4 | 74.5 | 64.1 | 55.3 | 69.5 |
| Rampur Boalia | 50.5 | 52.8 | 64.1 | 72.8 | 75.2 | 77.2 | 78.2 | 78.0 | 77.3 | 72.5 | 62.2 | 52.7 | 67.8 |
| Malda | 50.4 | 51.9 | 61.7 | 71.0 | 75.3 | 78.4 | 79.0 | 79.4 | 78.2 | 71.9 | 61.1 | 51.9 | 67.5 |
| Bogra | 51.6 | 53.3 | 63.6 | 71.9 | 74.2 | 77.0 | 78.2 | 78.0 | 77.2 | 72.3 | 62.2 | 53.6 | 67.8 |
| Dinajpur | 49.2 | 51.2 | 61.5 | 70.4 | 73.7 | 77.0 | 78.9 | 78.4 | 77.5 | 72.1 | 60.3 | 51.3 | 66.8 |
| Rangpur | 49.3 | 50.4 | 60.6 | 69.0 | 72.1 | 75.7 | 78.2 | 77.4 | 76.8 | 71.4 | 60.2 | 51.3 | 66.0 |
| Jalpaiguri | 50.7 | 50.8 | 59.2 | 67.6 | 71.1 | 74.8 | 76.6 | 76.1 | 75.3 | 69.2 | 59.6 | 52.4 | 65.3 |
| Balasore | 55.7 | 60.2 | 69.8 | 76.1 | 77.9 | 78.6 | 78.3 | 77.8 | 77.5 | 73.1 | 62.4 | 54.4 | 70.2 |
| False Point | 58.9 | 64.3 | 72.2 | 77.7 | 79.2 | 80.2 | 78.4 | 78.2 | 78.0 | 74.7 | 65.7 | 57.3 | 72.1 |
| Cuttack | 59.9 | 65.1 | 72.7 | 78.0 | 79.5 | 80.2 | 78.5 | 78.2 | 77.9 | 74.5 | 66.1 | 58.3 | 72.4 |
| Hazaribagh | 50.5 | 53.9 | 63.9 | 72.2 | 74.3 | 75.9 | 73.5 | 72.9 | 72.1 | 66.8 | 57.7 | 50.2 | 65.3 |
| Ranchi | 50.1 | 53.2 | 63.1 | 71.6 | 73.9 | 74.7 | 72.5 | 71.9 | 70.8 | 65.4 | 56.0 | 49.6 | 64.4 |
| Chaibassa | 53.5 | 56.9 | 67.2 | 75.8 | 78.8 | 79.5 | 77.3 | 76.6 | 75.7 | 70.3 | 60.0 | 52.0 | 69.5 |
| Gaya | 51.5 | 55.8 | 66.2 | 74.4 | 78.1 | 79.5 | 78.6 | 78.5 | 77.9 | 70.9 | 59.1 | 51.1 | 68.5 |
| Dehri | 52.9 | 55.5 | 64.1 | 75.2 | 78.8 | 80.8 | 78.9 | 78.2 | 77.8 | 70.7 | 60.0 | 52.8 | 68.9 |
| Patna | 49.9 | 52.6 | 63.6 | 73.3 | 77.2 | 80.1 | 79.7 | 79.5 | 79.1 | 72.5 | 59.9 | 51.1 | 68.2 |
| Arrah | 49.5 | 51.1 | 62.8 | 72.7 | 77.6 | 80.0 | 79.2 | 78.9 | 77.8 | 70.2 | 58.2 | 49.9 | 67.3 |
| Ruxar | 50.4 | 52.5 | 64.1 | 73.7 | 78.3 | 80.3 | 78.9 | 78.5 | 77.4 | 70.8 | 58.9 | 50.8 | 67.9 |
| Purnea | 47.9 | 50.7 | 60.4 | 69.6 | 73.6 | 76.9 | 78.5 | 77.9 | 77.3 | 71.2 | 58.8 | 49.4 | 65.0 |
| Bhagalpur | 50.3 | 53.0 | 63.8 | 72.6 | 75.9 | 78.3 | 78.8 | 78.6 | 77.5 | 71.2 | 59.2 | 50.8 | 67.5 |
| Darbhanga | 52.1 | 53.7 | 63.2 | 71.8 | 75.8 | 79.0 | 79.8 | 79.1 | 78.8 | 73.4 | 62.0 | 54.0 | 68.6 |
| Motihari | 46.6 | 48.0 | 58.1 | 68.4 | 73.8 | 77.2 | 78.3 | 78.0 | 76.7 | 68.6 | 55.5 | 47.3 | 64.7 |
| Chapra | 50.2 | 52.0 | 62.6 | 72.1 | 76.8 | 79.3 | 79.1 | 78.8 | 77.9 | 71.1 | 59.0 | 51.4 | 67.5 |
| Benares | 48.0 | 51.4 | 62.3 | 72.2 | 78.5 | 82.3 | 79.6 | 78.8 | 77.5 | 68.7 | 55.5 | 47.8 | 66.9 |
| Allahabad | 47.7 | 50.9 | 62.2 | 72.1 | 78.7 | 82.9 | 79.3 | 78.5 | 76.8 | 67.6 | 54.4 | 47.4 | 66.5 |
| Gorakhpur | 48.9 | 51.9 | 62.5 | 72.4 | 76.7 | 79.8 | 79.5 | 78.9 | 77.9 | 70.2 | 57.5 | 50.2 | 67.2 |
| Lucknow | 46.4 | 50.3 | 60.6 | 71.0 | 76.7 | 81.5 | 79.3 | 78.5 | 76.3 | 65.6 | 51.8 | 45.6 | 65.3 |
| Bareilly | 46.1 | 48.8 | 59.0 | 68.7 | 75.4 | 79.9 | 78.7 | 78.0 | 75.9 | 65.2 | 52.2 | 45.4 | 64.4 |
| Dehra Dun | 44.7 | 46.7 | 55.3 | 64.3 | 69.9 | 74.6 | 74.2 | 73.2 | 70.3 | 60.8 | 51.4 | 45.5 | 60.9 |
| Roorkee | 44.3 | 47.2 | 56.4 | 66.6 | 74.0 | 78.9 | 78.1 | 77.8 | 73.6 | 61.5 | 49.2 | 43.4 | 62.5 |
| Meerut | 44.6 | 47.5 | 57.8 | 67.9 | 75.0 | 80.8 | 79.6 | 78.3 | 74.7 | 62.7 | 49.5 | 43.9 | 63.5 |
| Delhi | 48.0 | 51.5 | 62.1 | 73.3 | 79.2 | 83.4 | 80.5 | 79.1 | 76.6 | 68.0 | 55.4 | 48.5 | 67.1 |
| Lahore | 41.4 ✓ | 43.9 | 55.3 ✓ | 64.7 ✓ | 72.2 ✓ | 79.8 ✓ | 80.4 ✓ | 78.9 ✓ | 73.0 ✓ | 59.9 ✓ | 46.2 ✓ | 40.6 ✓ | 61.4 |
| Ludhiana | 43.7 | 46.4 | 57.2 | 66.7 | 73.8 | 80.1 | 80.0 | 78.7 | 74.9 | 63.5 | 50.0 | 43.3 | 63.2 |

TABLE II.—Average monthly minimum temperatures of 133 stations in India, etc.—contd.

| STATION. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|-----------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| Sialkot | 42·8 | 45·3 | 55·3 | 66·0 | 73·8 | 80·1 | 79·2 | 77·3 | 73·3 | 61·8 | 48·5 | 42·0 | 62·1 |
| Rawalpindi | 37·9 | 40·5 | 50·4 | 59·6 | 67·6 | 74·7 | 76·7 | 75·1 | 68·7 | 55·9 | 42·1 | 36·3 | 67·1 |
| Peshawar | 39·4 | 41·5 | 51·7 | 60·7 | 69·4 | 76·6 | 79·2 | 77·8 | 70·0 | 57·4 | 44·1 | 38·2 | 58·8 |
| D. I. Khan | 40·6 | 44·1 | 55·4 | 65·6 | 74·2 | 80·6 | 82·2 | 81·1 | 75·1 | 61·4 | 46·2 | 39·8 | 62·2 |
| Mooltan | 42·7 | 46·1 | 58·0 | 67·5 | 75·9 | 82·3 | 83·0 | 82·0 | 77·4 | 64·6 | 51·6 | 43·5 | 64·6 |
| Sirsa | 42·5 | 46·0 | 57·1 | 68·1 | 76·0 | 82·9 | 81·3 | 79·5 | 75·0 | 62·5 | 48·0 | 42·3 | 63·4 |
| Jacobabad | 43·1 | 47·8 | 59·4 | 68·9 | 76·9 | 83·5 | 83·9 | 81·3 | 75·9 | 63·1 | 49·4 | 43·4 | 64·7 |
| Hyderabad | 51·2 | 54·1 | 64·5 | 72·0 | 78·4 | 81·5 | 80·5 | 78·5 | 76·2 | 70·6 | 59·2 | 52·3 | 68·3 |
| Kurrachee | 54·6 | 57·7 | 66·1 | 72·5 | 78·5 | 82·0 | 80·5 | 78·4 | 76·9 | 71·4 | 61·0 | 55·9 | 69·6 |
| Bhuj | 54·8 | 57·9 | 65·8 | 71·0 | 76·7 | 79·8 | 78·1 | 76·2 | 74·7 | 71·2 | 62·0 | 55·6 | 68·7 |
| Bickaneer | 50·3 | 53·4 | 65·5 | 76·0 | 82·2 | 84·9 | 82·4 | 80·4 | 79·1 | 72·5 | 59·6 | 52·2 | 69·9 |
| Jeypore | 48·4 | 50·0 | 60·9 | 69·3 | 76·2 | 80·1 | 76·9 | 75·0 | 72·5 | 64·5 | 53·0 | 48·1 | 65·1 |
| Sambhar | 46·1 | 48·1 | 59·3 | 70·3 | 78·1 | 81·6 | 78·0 | 75·8 | 73·9 | 64·7 | 51·9 | 45·7 | 64·6 |
| Ajmere | 44·9 | 48·4 | 59·2 | 70·3 | 77·7 | 80·0 | 76·7 | 74·5 | 72·9 | 63·0 | 49·4 | 44·3 | 63·4 |
| Deesa | 51·4 | 54·7 | 63·9 | 70·9 | 77·5 | 80·5 | 77·5 | 75·4 | 73·7 | 66·9 | 56·8 | 52·0 | 66·8 |
| Rajkot | 51·2 | 54·1 | 62·6 | 69·0 | 75·2 | 77·3 | 75·5 | 74·5 | 72·6 | 68·4 | 58·5 | 52·1 | 65·9 |
| Nowgong | 46·9 | 50·0 | 60·8 | 71·1 | 79·1 | 82·7 | 78·0 | 76·7 | 74·8 | 65·1 | 51·9 | 45·7 | 65·2 |
| Indore | 50·3 | 51·6 | 60·6 | 69·1 | 75·4 | 74·9 | 72·3 | 71·2 | 70·1 | 63·7 | 53·8 | 48·9 | 63·5 |
| Neemuch | 48·9 | 51·5 | 61·6 | 70·7 | 76·4 | 77·2 | 73·8 | 72·3 | 70·6 | 64·6 | 54·2 | 49·0 | 64·2 |
| Surat | 56·4 | 58·3 | 65·7 | 71·8 | 77·6 | 79·2 | 77·2 | 76·2 | 75·4 | 70·5 | 62·3 | 56·8 | 69·0 |
| Agra | 48·5 | 51·7 | 62·8 | 73·5 | 80·7 | 84·8 | 80·2 | 78·6 | 76·4 | 67·8 | 54·9 | 48·2 | 67·3 |
| Jhansi | 50·6 | 54·2 | 65·5 | 75·9 | 82·3 | 83·9 | 77·8 | 76·7 | 75·1 | 68·5 | 56·7 | 50·6 | 68·2 |
| Belgaum | 57·4 | 59·5 | 64·1 | 67·3 | 69·9 | 67·8 | 66·9 | 66·2 | 65·2 | 65·0 | 61·6 | 58·0 | 63·9 |
| Sholapur | 57·7 | 61·7 | 68·8 | 75·0 | 76·0 | 72·6 | 71·3 | 70·4 | 70·2 | 67·9 | 62·2 | 56·9 | 67·6 |
| Poona | 55·0 | 57·5 | 64·3 | 69·8 | 71·9 | 72·6 | 70·7 | 69·5 | 68·7 | 66·4 | 59·7 | 53·8 | 65·0 |
| Malegaon | 52·0 | 54·9 | 63·7 | 71·0 | 74·7 | 74·7 | 73·0 | 71·4 | 70·0 | 65·3 | 56·8 | 50·3 | 64·8 |
| Akola | 53·3 | 56·6 | 65·9 | 74·0 | 80·6 | 77·3 | 74·0 | 73·2 | 72·4 | 66·0 | 56·9 | 50·0 | 66·7 |
| Amraoti | 57·3 | 60·9 | 58·5 | 75·5 | 79·2 | 76·2 | 73·1 | 72·5 | 71·7 | 67·5 | 60·7 | 55·4 | 68·2 |
| Khandwa | 51·9 | 55·0 | 65·0 | 74·3 | 80·2 | 78·1 | 74·9 | 73·8 | 72·9 | 66·1 | 55·7 | 48·9 | 66·4 |
| Hoshangabad | 52·4 | 55·1 | 64·3 | 73·2 | 79·7 | 79·0 | 75·0 | 73·8 | 73·2 | 67·0 | 56·6 | 50·7 | 66·7 |
| Nagpur | 55·4 | 59·3 | 67·6 | 75·9 | 81·1 | 78·1 | 74·7 | 74·6 | 73·6 | 68·3 | 59·7 | 53·3 | 68·5 |
| Chanda | 54·6 | 58·8 | 67·2 | 76·3 | 81·5 | 79·3 | 75·5 | 75·1 | 74·2 | 68·5 | 59·1 | 51·1 | 68·4 |
| Seoni | 51·3 | 55·1 | 63·5 | 71·7 | 76·6 | 75·3 | 72·5 | 71·7 | 70·6 | 64·3 | 55·1 | 49·0 | 64·7 |
| Jubbulpore | 48·3 | 51·7 | 61·1 | 70·6 | 78·4 | 78·2 | 74·6 | 73·9 | 72·8 | 64·2 | 52·3 | 45·2 | 64·3 |
| Saugor | 51·4 | 54·2 | 64·4 | 72·4 | 77·6 | 77·1 | 73·5 | 72·5 | 71·0 | 65·2 | 56·0 | 51·0 | 65·5 |
| Raipur | 55·2 | 60·0 | 68·5 | 76·8 | 81·1 | 78·1 | 74·6 | 74·8 | 74·5 | 69·8 | 60·2 | 53·3 | 68·9 |

TABLE II.—Average monthly minimum temperatures of 133 stations in India, etc.—concl'd.

| STATION. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|------------------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| Sutna | 47'3 | 51'0 | 61'0 | 71'0 | 78'1 | 81'0 | 76'7 | 75'7 | 74'3 | 65'6 | 52'8 | 46'2 | 65'1 |
| Sambalpur | 55'0 | 59'5 | 67'4 | 75'7 | 80'9 | 80'9 | 77'4 | 77'3 | 77'2 | 72'2 | 62'4 | 53'8 | 70'0 |
| Hyderabad (Deccan) | 57'9 | 62'7 | 69'5 | 75'1 | 77'9 | 74'0 | 71'2 | 70'7 | 70'4 | 67'8 | 62'1 | 56'6 | 68'0 |
| Bombay | 67'9 | 68'4 | 73'5 | 77'3 | 80'4 | 79'3 | 77'3 | 76'7 | 76'3 | 76'2 | 73'1 | 69'5 | 74'7 |
| Ratnagiri | 66'1 | 66'9 | 72'3 | 76'8 | 79'0 | 76'7 | 75'3 | 74'8 | 74'2 | 73'5 | 69'9 | 66'8 | 72'7 |
| Karwar | 65'8 | 67'1 | 73'1 | 77'8 | 79'2 | 75'7 | 74'6 | 74'1 | 73'5 | 73'1 | 69'5 | 66'4 | 72'5 |
| Cochin | 71'3 | 73'1 | 76'7 | 78'3 | 77'2 | 74'4 | 73'9 | 74'1 | 74'2 | 74'4 | 74'2 | 72'7 | 74'5 |
| Calicut | 69'2 | 72'5 | 75'9 | 77'8 | 77'3 | 74'3 | 73'5 | 73'7 | 73'9 | 74'1 | 73'1 | 70'4 | 73'8 |
| Mangalore | 69'2 | 71'4 | 75'8 | 78'8 | 78'4 | 74'8 | 74'1 | 73'8 | 73'8 | 74'1 | 72'8 | 70'5 | 74'0 |
| Madura | 68'5 | 69'2 | 72'5 | 76'2 | 76'8 | 76'7 | 76'1 | 75'5 | 75'1 | 73'8 | 72'3 | 70'4 | 73'6 |
| Salem | 63'3 | 64'8 | 70'6 | 75'6 | 75'5 | 73'5 | 72'3 | 71'8 | 71'3 | 70'5 | 68'0 | 65'1 | 70'2 |
| Coimbatore | 64'0 | 65'0 | 69'8 | 73'6 | 73'5 | 71'5 | 70'6 | 70'6 | 70'5 | 70'6 | 69'1 | 66'3 | 69'6 |
| Mercara | 55'9 | 57'3 | 61'2 | 64'1 | 64'5 | 63'2 | 62'2 | 62'1 | 61'7 | 62'1 | 60'3 | 57'6 | 61'0 |
| Bangalore | 56'6 | 58'9 | 64'3 | 69'2 | 69'1 | 66'6 | 65'6 | 65'5 | 65'0 | 64'9 | 62'0 | 58'6 | 63'9 |
| Negapatam | 70'6 | 71'5 | 75'3 | 78'8 | 79'9 | 78'9 | 77'8 | 77'0 | 76'3 | 75'6 | 73'9 | 71'8 | 75'6 |
| Trichinopoly | 66'9 | 67'8 | 72'6 | 77'3 | 78'2 | 78'0 | 77'3 | 76'3 | 75'5 | 74'0 | 71'7 | 69'0 | 73'7 |
| Madras | 67'5 | 67'7 | 72'4 | 77'1 | 80'8 | 80'2 | 78'4 | 77'3 | 77'1 | 75'2 | 72'3 | 69'8 | 74'7 |
| Masulipatam | 65'7 | 67'7 | 72'4 | 77'3 | 81'2 | 80'1 | 77'9 | 77'5 | 77'4 | 75'7 | 71'4 | 66'5 | 74'2 |
| Cuddapah | 64'2 | 68'2 | 75'0 | 80'6 | 83'3 | 80'0 | 77'4 | 70'5 | 75'9 | 74'1 | 69'3 | 66'0 | 74'2 |
| Kurnool | 58'8 | 63'7 | 72'0 | 78'3 | 80'4 | 76'2 | 74'2 | 73'5 | 73'2 | 71'3 | 64'2 | 59'4 | 70'4 |
| Bellary | 60'5 | 64'3 | 71'9 | 77'0 | 77'2 | 75'5 | 74'3 | 73'4 | 72'8 | 70'8 | 65'7 | 60'7 | 70'3 |
| Rajahmundry | 64'3 | 68'4 | 73'8 | 78'7 | 81'3 | 80'1 | 77'3 | 77'2 | 77'0 | 74'8 | 69'1 | 65'0 | 73'9 |
| Cocanada | 65'3 | 69'3 | 74'5 | 79'1 | 82'2 | 80'9 | 78'1 | 78'5 | 78'2 | 75'7 | 70'8 | 66'0 | 74'8 |
| Vizagapatam | 70'3 | 74'2 | 79'6 | 83'2 | 85'0 | 84'9 | 82'4 | 82'6 | 82'5 | 80'4 | 75'7 | 70'7 | 79'3 |
| Quetta | 29'3 | 31'4 | 39'7 | 46'4 | 52'0 | 59'2 | 65'3 | 61'9 | 50'4 | 39'2 | 30'9 | 28'8 | 44'5 |
| Murree | 35'4 | 33'9 | 43'8 | 52'0 | 58'8 | 64'4 | 62'7 | 61'0 | 58'8 | 53'1 | 45'1 | 40'0 | 50'8 |
| Simla | 36'5 | 36'0 | 44'5 | 52'5 | 57'4 | 60'6 | 60'6 | 59'7 | 57'1 | 50'9 | 43'9 | 40'2 | 50'0 |
| Chakrata | 36'0 | 35'7 | 44'0 | 52'0 | 55'9 | 60'0 | 60'1 | 59'4 | 57'1 | 50'7 | 43'4 | 39'6 | 49'5 |
| Mussooree | ... | ... | ... | ... | 57'2 | 60'5 | 60'4 | 59'7 | 57'5 | 51'6 | 44'8 | 40'6 | ... |
| Ranikhet | 39'7 | 40'6 | 48'9 | 57'0 | 59'4 | 63'1 | 62'8 | 62'0 | 60'0 | 54'1 | 46'7 | 42'6 | 53'1 |
| Darjeeling | 34'6 | 34'1 | 43'0 | 47'5 | 50'7 | 55'3 | 57'4 | 56'7 | 55'1 | 49'0 | 41'6 | 36'8 | 46'8 |
| Mount Abu | 51'1 | 53'2 | 61'8 | 68'3 | 70'9 | 68'0 | 65'6 | 64'4 | 64'8 | 64'2 | 57'1 | 52'5 | 61'8 |
| Pachmarhi | 47'4 | 50'7 | 60'4 | 69'3 | 74'6 | 71'7 | 67'8 | 66'9 | 66'2 | 59'9 | 51'0 | 45'0 | 60'9 |
| Wellington | 45'5 | 46'7 | 52'8 | 56'0 | 58'3 | 58'2 | 58'1 | 57'2 | 55'7 | 55'0 | 52'5 | 49'1 | 53'7 |
| Aden | 72'2 | 73'0 | 74'7 | 77'6 | 80'7 | 83'0 | 81'3 | 80'5 | 82'1 | 77'1 | 73'3 | 72'6 | 77'3 |

TABLE III.—Average monthly diurnal range of temperature of 133 stations in India, etc.—contd.

| STATION. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|--------------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| Moulmein | 22.7 | 23.8 | 21.6 | 18.5 | 14.3 | 9.8 | 8.8 | 9.3 | 10.4 | 13.8 | 17.2 | 20.7 | 15.9 |
| Toungoo | 27.7 | 30.5 | 30.2 | 26.8 | 19.8 | 13.2 | 11.5 | 11.4 | 13.2 | 15.2 | 16.7 | 21.4 | 19.8 |
| Rangoon | 24.8 | 27.2 | 25.4 | 22.1 | 15.3 | 9.8 | 9.3 | 9.2 | 9.6 | 11.6 | 14.4 | 19.6 | 16.5 |
| Bassein | 24.4 | 25.6 | 24.1 | 20.8 | 15.1 | 9.9 | 9.1 | 8.8 | 9.8 | 12.0 | 14.1 | 19.1 | 16.1 |
| Diamond Island | 13.6 | 12.3 | 11.0 | 10.7 | 10.5 | 9.7 | 9.5 | 9.2 | 9.5 | 10.2 | 10.8 | 12.3 | 10.8 |
| Akyab | 21.9 | 23.7 | 20.1 | 16.2 | 12.7 | 8.0 | 7.2 | 7.2 | 8.6 | 11.1 | 13.6 | 17.5 | 14.0 |
| Thayetmyo | 31.8 | 36.4 | 33.5 | 27.6 | 21.9 | 14.6 | 12.7 | 12.8 | 14.0 | 16.1 | 19.5 | 25.5 | 22.2 |
| Kindat | 23.5 | 28.0 | 29.8 | 30.1 | 22.2 | 14.4 | 12.7 | 12.7 | 14.4 | 16.2 | 17.5 | 20.4 | 20.2 |
| Silchar | 24.9 | 24.9 | 21.9 | 18.7 | 15.9 | 12.6 | 12.9 | 12.5 | 13.4 | 16.4 | 20.9 | 24.3 | 18.3 |
| Sibsagar | 20.1 | 19.6 | 19.1 | 16.2 | 14.8 | 13.1 | 12.7 | 12.0 | 12.1 | 14.2 | 18.6 | 21.2 | 16.1 |
| Dhubri | 19.9 | 22.4 | 22.0 | 17.5 | 13.1 | 9.2 | 8.8 | 8.3 | 8.8 | 12.0 | 16.4 | 18.7 | 14.8 |
| Chittagong | 22.4 | 23.0 | 18.5 | 15.1 | 12.9 | 9.7 | 9.1 | 9.2 | 10.4 | 12.7 | 16.5 | 19.5 | 14.9 |
| Noakhali | 24.6 | 23.5 | 18.4 | 14.4 | 12.8 | 9.3 | 7.8 | 8.1 | 9.1 | 12.7 | 18.3 | 23.1 | 15.2 |
| Comilla | 25.2 | 25.1 | 20.8 | 18.4 | 15.2 | 11.6 | 10.4 | 10.6 | 11.7 | 14.5 | 19.0 | 24.4 | 17.2 |
| Sirajganj | 24.8 | 26.9 | 25.4 | 22.8 | 16.5 | 12.2 | 9.4 | 8.2 | 9.7 | 14.5 | 20.0 | 23.3 | 17.8 |
| Narayanganj | 23.2 | 25.9 | 21.6 | 18.9 | 15.3 | 10.7 | 9.1 | 8.8 | 9.8 | 12.9 | 17.8 | 21.1 | 16.3 |
| Barisal | 21.5 | 21.9 | 18.7 | 16.3 | 14.5 | 11.2 | 8.5 | 8.4 | 9.8 | 13.1 | 16.8 | 21.0 | 15.1 |
| Mymensingh | 22.1 | 24.2 | 22.4 | 18.6 | 14.8 | 10.7 | 9.4 | 9.6 | 10.5 | 13.7 | 19.1 | 22.5 | 16.5 |
| Faridpur | 21.1 | 22.6 | 18.3 | 19.9 | 16.0 | 11.4 | 8.7 | 7.8 | 8.5 | 12.0 | 16.7 | 19.0 | 15.2 |
| Jessore | 24.8 | 26.5 | 24.2 | 22.2 | 17.8 | 12.7 | 10.3 | 10.0 | 10.7 | 13.7 | 19.1 | 22.6 | 17.9 |
| Calcutta | 21.5 | 21.8 | 20.7 | 19.7 | 16.6 | 13.0 | 9.6 | 9.0 | 9.6 | 12.2 | 16.6 | 20.0 | 15.9 |
| Saugor Island | 17.2 | 15.8 | 12.2 | 11.0 | 11.0 | 8.8 | 7.4 | 7.6 | 8.4 | 10.7 | 14.4 | 16.7 | 11.8 |
| Krishnagar | 26.1 | 27.5 | 25.0 | 24.0 | 20.2 | 14.7 | 11.2 | 10.8 | 11.3 | 15.4 | 19.7 | 24.3 | 19.2 |
| Midnapore | 25.7 | 25.1 | 24.9 | 26.2 | 22.1 | 16.4 | 11.6 | 11.1 | 12.1 | 16.0 | 21.0 | 24.9 | 19.8 |
| Bankura | 23.7 | 24.1 | 24.7 | 26.3 | 22.3 | 16.3 | 11.6 | 10.7 | 11.9 | 15.7 | 20.1 | 23.0 | 19.2 |
| Raniganj | 23.9 | 24.8 | 25.8 | 27.2 | 23.1 | 16.9 | 11.8 | 11.2 | 12.3 | 16.5 | 22.2 | 24.1 | 20.0 |
| Burdwan | 23.8 | 25.1 | 25.1 | 25.0 | 20.0 | 14.6 | 10.8 | 10.3 | 10.8 | 14.0 | 18.6 | 21.8 | 18.3 |
| Naya Dumka | 24.5 | 25.5 | 25.8 | 25.5 | 21.2 | 15.3 | 11.0 | 10.6 | 11.9 | 16.8 | 21.9 | 24.4 | 19.5 |
| Berhampore | 23.5 | 26.0 | 26.8 | 25.8 | 19.7 | 14.1 | 10.7 | 10.0 | 10.4 | 13.2 | 17.7 | 21.2 | 18.3 |
| Rampur Boalia | 24.8 | 25.9 | 25.2 | 23.5 | 18.5 | 14.3 | 10.7 | 9.8 | 10.9 | 15.1 | 19.5 | 23.4 | 18.5 |
| Malda | 25.8 | 27.6 | 28.6 | 26.1 | 20.7 | 14.0 | 11.0 | 10.1 | 11.1 | 16.3 | 21.6 | 25.0 | 19.8 |
| Bogra | 24.1 | 25.8 | 25.9 | 23.7 | 18.0 | 12.3 | 10.4 | 9.9 | 10.8 | 14.6 | 19.9 | 23.3 | 18.2 |
| Dinajpur | 26.1 | 27.2 | 27.7 | 24.2 | 17.4 | 12.2 | 10.2 | 10.3 | 11.0 | 15.3 | 22.1 | 25.3 | 19.1 |
| Rangpur | 25.2 | 26.8 | 26.7 | 22.4 | 16.8 | 12.7 | 11.2 | 11.7 | 11.6 | 15.9 | 22.0 | 24.9 | 19.0 |
| Jalpaiguri | 22.4 | 24.1 | 25.8 | 21.4 | 16.5 | 12.7 | 11.6 | 11.7 | 12.0 | 17.1 | 22.1 | 22.9 | 18.4 |
| Balasore | 24.4 | 23.3 | 21.3 | 21.3 | 17.7 | 14.0 | 10.1 | 9.5 | 10.1 | 14.7 | 20.3 | 24.4 | 17.0 |

TABLE III.—Average monthly diurnal range of temperature of 133 stations in India, etc.—contd.

| STATION. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|-----------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| False Point | 19.9 | 18.3 | 15.4 | 12.9 | 11.9 | 10.6 | 9.2 | 8.8 | 9.8 | 12.6 | 16.2 | 20.0 | 13.8 |
| Cuttack | 24.7 | 24.9 | 24.1 | 24.3 | 21.9 | 15.7 | 11.3 | 11.1 | 11.9 | 15.4 | 18.9 | 23.7 | 19.0 |
| Hazaribagh | 22.3 | 23.8 | 24.8 | 26.0 | 24.0 | 16.6 | 11.0 | 10.7 | 12.3 | 16.9 | 19.0 | 21.4 | 19.0 |
| Ranchi | 23.6 | 23.6 | 24.0 | 25.9 | 24.1 | 17.1 | 11.2 | 11.0 | 12.4 | 17.3 | 20.4 | 22.4 | 19.4 |
| Chaibassa | 26.7 | 26.8 | 26.9 | 28.3 | 24.6 | 17.5 | 11.9 | 12.0 | 13.0 | 17.8 | 22.5 | 26.1 | 20.3 |
| Gaya | 24.2 | 25.5 | 27.5 | 29.2 | 26.0 | 20.4 | 12.8 | 11.6 | 12.9 | 18.4 | 23.3 | 24.7 | 21.4 |
| Dehri | 22.1 | 23.1 | 27.2 | 27.9 | 26.4 | 19.1 | 11.0 | 10.1 | 10.6 | 18.3 | 23.0 | 23.5 | 20.2 |
| Patna | 22.8 | 25.4 | 27.5 | 27.6 | 22.4 | 16.5 | 10.6 | 9.8 | 11.1 | 15.8 | 21.5 | 23.0 | 19.5 |
| Arrah | 24.0 | 26.7 | 28.5 | 28.2 | 24.0 | 17.3 | 11.2 | 10.6 | 12.0 | 18.5 | 24.4 | 24.7 | 20.8 |
| Buxar | 23.2 | 25.2 | 26.3 | 26.3 | 23.2 | 16.7 | 10.5 | 9.9 | 11.5 | 17.6 | 23.4 | 23.9 | 19.8 |
| Purnea | 26.8 | 28.1 | 29.8 | 27.6 | 20.9 | 15.4 | 11.7 | 11.3 | 11.6 | 16.3 | 23.1 | 26.5 | 20.8 |
| Bhagalpur | 23.8 | 24.7 | 26.2 | 24.6 | 20.4 | 14.4 | 10.7 | 10.0 | 11.2 | 16.3 | 22.2 | 24.1 | 19.1 |
| Darbhangha | 20.1 | 22.5 | 24.5 | 24.5 | 19.6 | 13.3 | 9.5 | 9.3 | 9.4 | 12.9 | 18.8 | 20.1 | 17.0 |
| Motihari | 26.4 | 28.4 | 30.5 | 28.8 | 22.9 | 16.5 | 12.0 | 11.2 | 12.9 | 19.2 | 26.6 | 27.7 | 21.9 |
| Chapra | 23.2 | 25.3 | 26.9 | 27.6 | 23.5 | 16.8 | 11.7 | 10.3 | 11.8 | 17.0 | 22.9 | 23.2 | 20.0 |
| Benares | 26.4 | 29.0 | 31.0 | 31.3 | 26.1 | 18.7 | 11.8 | 10.6 | 13.4 | 21.2 | 26.4 | 27.1 | 22.8 |
| Allahabad | 26.3 | 28.8 | 31.1 | 31.9 | 27.5 | 19.5 | 12.1 | 11.3 | 14.0 | 22.3 | 27.7 | 27.6 | 23.3 |
| Gorakhpur | 24.3 | 26.1 | 28.3 | 28.4 | 23.8 | 17.9 | 11.4 | 11.2 | 12.5 | 18.5 | 24.1 | 24.1 | 20.9 |
| Lucknow | 27.4 | 28.2 | 30.8 | 31.3 | 27.4 | 20.0 | 12.7 | 12.1 | 15.4 | 25.3 | 31.1 | 29.9 | 24.3 |
| Bareilly | 24.1 | 26.1 | 28.6 | 30.8 | 27.1 | 20.8 | 13.0 | 12.0 | 14.4 | 24.0 | 28.7 | 27.3 | 23.1 |
| Dehra Dun | 20.9 | 22.1 | 24.1 | 25.9 | 23.8 | 18.8 | 11.1 | 10.7 | 14.0 | 20.9 | 22.8 | 22.8 | 19.8 |
| Roorkee | 25.2 | 26.0 | 29.4 | 31.5 | 28.1 | 22.5 | 13.9 | 13.7 | 17.6 | 27.6 | 31.2 | 29.1 | 24.7 |
| Meerut | 25.5 | 26.9 | 29.1 | 30.5 | 26.9 | 20.6 | 13.3 | 12.3 | 16.9 | 27.3 | 31.4 | 29.1 | 24.2 |
| Delhi | 23.0 | 23.6 | 26.1 | 27.1 | 25.1 | 20.8 | 13.5 | 12.5 | 16.0 | 23.8 | 27.6 | 25.8 | 22.1 |
| Lahore | 26.0 | 26.6 | 28.9 | 31.9 | 30.6 | 25.8 | 18.2 | 17.1 | 23.7 | 33.3 | 35.1 | 30.9 | 27.4 |
| Ludhiana | 23.9 | 25.1 | 28.0 | 30.9 | 30.4 | 25.7 | 17.9 | 16.6 | 19.9 | 28.4 | 30.4 | 28.0 | 25.4 |
| Sialkot | 23.8 | 24.0 | 26.5 | 28.9 | 28.6 | 25.5 | 18.4 | 16.7 | 22.0 | 30.2 | 32.1 | 28.2 | 25.4 |
| Rawalpindi | 25.4 | 23.9 | 26.3 | 28.4 | 29.6 | 28.0 | 20.7 | 18.4 | 24.7 | 32.1 | 34.6 | 31.3 | 27.0 |
| Peshawar | 24.5 | 24.2 | 25.0 | 25.9 | 28.7 | 28.9 | 23.5 | 21.2 | 25.7 | 31.0 | 32.9 | 29.6 | 26.8 |
| D. I. Khan | 28.5 | 27.6 | 28.6 | 28.7 | 29.1 | 27.1 | 21.4 | 20.4 | 25.5 | 32.7 | 35.7 | 33.2 | 28.2 |
| Mooltan | 27.1 | 26.8 | 28.3 | 30.3 | 28.8 | 24.4 | 20.2 | 18.3 | 22.3 | 30.4 | 32.5 | 30.2 | 26.6 |
| Sirsa | 28.4 | 29.1 | 28.6 | 32.4 | 30.2 | 23.6 | 18.7 | 18.0 | 23.2 | 33.4 | 36.3 | 32.6 | 27.9 |
| Jacobabad | 30.2 | 29.3 | 31.7 | 33.2 | 33.5 | 28.4 | 23.5 | 22.3 | 27.1 | 34.9 | 36.5 | 33.2 | 30.3 |
| Hyderabad | 25.3 | 25.9 | 28.8 | 29.9 | 28.4 | 21.7 | 18.3 | 16.8 | 21.0 | 26.8 | 28.0 | 26.3 | 24.8 |
| Kurrachee | 22.0 | 21.3 | 19.9 | 17.0 | 14.4 | 11.4 | 9.6 | 9.3 | 11.4 | 19.8 | 26.0 | 24.1 | 17.2 |
| Bhuj | 25.3 | 25.9 | 27.9 | 29.2 | 24.8 | 17.4 | 12.0 | 12.2 | 17.0 | 24.5 | 26.3 | 26.4 | 22.4 |

TABLE III.—Average monthly diurnal range of temperature of 133 stations in India, etc.—contd.

| STATION. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|----------------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| Bickaneer | 21'5 | 21'8 | 23'9 | 24'6 | 24'2 | 21'1 | 17'7 | 15'9 | 18'8 | 23'1 | 24'3 | 23'0 | 21'7 |
| Jeypore | 25'3 | 27'9 | 29'1 | 31'2 | 29'3 | 22'7 | 14'9 | 14'9 | 20'3 | 28'7 | 31'6 | 29'5 | 25'5 |
| Sambhar | 26'3 | 28'3 | 28'9 | 28'8 | 26'2 | 20'1 | 13'9 | 13'4 | 18'1 | 26'9 | 30'6 | 29'6 | 24'3 |
| Ajmere | 29'1 | 28'9 | 30'1 | 28'3 | 25'5 | 20'3 | 14'2 | 13'0 | 17'5 | 28'4 | 33'7 | 31'9 | 25'1 |
| Deesa | 31'3 | 31'0 | 32'0 | 32'0 | 28'7 | 21'1 | 13'8 | 12'9 | 18'6 | 29'1 | 33'6 | 33'1 | 26'4 |
| Rajkot | 33'0 | 33'4 | 33'7 | 33'2 | 30'2 | 22'6 | 14'6 | 14'2 | 18'3 | 26'8 | 31'4 | 33'3 | 27'1 |
| Nowgong | 28'4 | 30'3 | 32'5 | 32'7 | 28'2 | 19'8 | 12'0 | 11'6 | 15'7 | 25'3 | 30'1 | 29'5 | 24'7 |
| Indore | 28'6 | 30'9 | 32'0 | 31'1 | 27'0 | 19'3 | 11'7 | 11'4 | 14'7 | 23'4 | 28'0 | 29'6 | 24'0 |
| Neemuch | 28'5 | 29'0 | 30'3 | 29'7 | 27'5 | 21'2 | 13'1 | 12'2 | 16'8 | 25'3 | 29'2 | 28'9 | 24'3 |
| Surat | 29'9 | 31'2 | 30'4 | 28'4 | 20'6 | 14'5 | 9'9 | 10'7 | 12'8 | 21'8 | 27'6 | 29'9 | 22'3 |
| Agra | 25'0 | 26'5 | 28'7 | 29'3 | 26'0 | 20'0 | 12'7 | 11'8 | 15'8 | 25'1 | 29'1 | 27'8 | 23'2 |
| Jhansi | 25'4 | 26'3 | 27'6 | 27'9 | 25'1 | 19'3 | 10'7 | 11'8 | 15'8 | 23'9 | 27'4 | 27'5 | 22'4 |
| Belgaum | 25'7 | 29'1 | 29'6 | 29'1 | 25'2 | 12'9 | 9'2 | 9'9 | 13'3 | 17'4 | 20'0 | 23'2 | 20'4 |
| Sholapur | 29'6 | 32'1 | 31'7 | 30'2 | 28'3 | 21'7 | 17'1 | 18'0 | 17'8 | 21'2 | 23'3 | 28'0 | 24'9 |
| Poona | 30'1 | 33'3 | 32'8 | 31'3 | 26'6 | 15'9 | 11'0 | 12'2 | 15'1 | 21'1 | 25'5 | 29'6 | 23'7 |
| Malegaon | 33'1 | 34'9 | 33'6 | 31'8 | 29'0 | 19'8 | 13'1 | 14'7 | 17'1 | 24'3 | 28'9 | 32'9 | 26'1 |
| Akola | 31'1 | 33'7 | 32'9 | 31'7 | 26'5 | 20'2 | 14'1 | 13'9 | 15'9 | 24'1 | 29'0 | 32'0 | 25'4 |
| Amraoti | 26'9 | 28'2 | 29'8 | 29'8 | 28'0 | 20'5 | 13'3 | 13'9 | 16'9 | 21'9 | 24'5 | 26'3 | 23'3 |
| Khandwa | 31'5 | 33'5 | 32'5 | 30'0 | 25'9 | 19'2 | 10'8 | 11'9 | 14'5 | 23'8 | 29'6 | 32'8 | 24'7 |
| Hoshangabad | 27'8 | 30'1 | 31'8 | 31'7 | 27'8 | 19'0 | 10'2 | 11'4 | 14'8 | 22'1 | 26'8 | 28'1 | 23'5 |
| Nagpur | 27'6 | 29'8 | 30'9 | 29'8 | 27'6 | 19'7 | 12'4 | 12'7 | 15'2 | 21'1 | 24'3 | 27'0 | 23'2 |
| Chanda | 30'3 | 32'8 | 33'0 | 30'8 | 27'7 | 18'4 | 12'1 | 12'7 | 14'6 | 20'9 | 25'3 | 30'5 | 24'1 |
| Seoni | 27'7 | 28'8 | 30'0 | 29'6 | 26'6 | 18'3 | 11'0 | 11'6 | 14'7 | 21'7 | 25'5 | 28'2 | 22'8 |
| Jubbulpore | 28'9 | 30'2 | 32'0 | 31'2 | 26'5 | 18'5 | 11'0 | 10'9 | 14'2 | 22'9 | 28'5 | 30'8 | 23'8 |
| Saugor | 25'2 | 26'4 | 27'9 | 29'1 | 27'1 | 21'4 | 11'5 | 11'0 | 15'0 | 21'6 | 24'7 | 24'9 | 22'2 |
| Raipur | 25'8 | 26'8 | 28'0 | 27'5 | 25'4 | 18'6 | 11'5 | 11'4 | 13'0 | 18'0 | 21'9 | 25'0 | 21'1 |
| Sutna | 27'3 | 28'2 | 30'6 | 30'6 | 26'6 | 17'8 | 10'1 | 10'0 | 12'9 | 21'8 | 27'3 | 28'5 | 22'6 |
| Sambalpur | 27'0 | 28'4 | 29'6 | 29'2 | 25'5 | 16'4 | 9'9 | 10'2 | 11'8 | 16'5 | 20'8 | 25'5 | 20'9 |
| Hyderabad (Deccan) | 26'2 | 28'3 | 28'2 | 27'1 | 25'0 | 19'3 | 14'9 | 15'4 | 15'9 | 19'0 | 20'8 | 25'0 | 22'1 |
| Bombay | 14'4 | 14'1 | 12'1 | 10'9 | 9'6 | 8'0 | 6'6 | 7'2 | 8'0 | 11'1 | 13'4 | 14'6 | 10'8 |
| Ratnagiri | 21'3 | 19'4 | 15'4 | 13'1 | 11'9 | 9'5 | 8'4 | 8'6 | 9'7 | 14'7 | 20'5 | 22'5 | 14'6 |
| Karwar | 20'7 | 19'1 | 14'7 | 12'0 | 10'5 | 9'2 | 8'4 | 8'0 | 9'1 | 11'9 | 17'4 | 20'8 | 13'5 |
| Cochin | 17'3 | 16'4 | 13'9 | 12'8 | 12'0 | 10'1 | 9'4 | 9'1 | 10'1 | 11'3 | 12'7 | 15'2 | 12'5 |
| Calicut | 18'3 | 16'3 | 14'6 | 13'5 | 12'5 | 9'6 | 8'6 | 9'0 | 10'3 | 11'7 | 14'0 | 17'1 | 13'0 |
| Mangalore | 18'6 | 16'4 | 13'1 | 12'0 | 11'4 | 9'6 | 8'6 | 8'6 | 9'4 | 11'0 | 14'4 | 18'0 | 12'6 |
| Madura | 19'4 | 22'9 | 24'4 | 23'9 | 23'3 | 22'0 | 21'2 | 21'0 | 20'7 | 17'9 | 15'0 | 15'6 | 20'6 |

TABLE III.—Average monthly diurnal range of temperature of 133 stations in India, etc.—concl'd.

| STATION. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|------------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| Salem | 24.9 | 28.6 | 27.8 | 25.5 | 23.3 | 20.8 | 20.3 | 19.6 | 20.1 | 18.8 | 18.9 | 20.9 | 22.5 |
| Coimbatore | 22.6 | 27.0 | 26.5 | 24.5 | 21.3 | 18.3 | 17.4 | 17.9 | 19.0 | 17.4 | 16.8 | 18.4 | 20.8 |
| Mercara | 20.5 | 23.9 | 23.3 | 20.4 | 16.4 | 8.9 | 6.5 | 8.4 | 10.7 | 13.3 | 14.7 | 16.9 | 15.3 |
| Bangalore | 22.7 | 26.3 | 26.0 | 24.0 | 22.1 | 18.0 | 16.2 | 16.2 | 16.9 | 16.1 | 16.5 | 18.9 | 20.0 |
| Negapatam | 11.2 | 12.7 | 13.4 | 13.8 | 16.2 | 17.7 | 17.1 | 15.9 | 15.9 | 12.3 | 9.8 | 9.2 | 13.8 |
| Trichinopoly | 20.3 | 24.2 | 24.9 | 23.5 | 22.9 | 20.5 | 19.7 | 19.7 | 19.8 | 16.8 | 15.0 | 15.5 | 20.3 |
| Madras | 17.1 | 19.0 | 17.5 | 15.9 | 16.8 | 17.8 | 16.7 | 16.4 | 16.1 | 13.8 | 12.7 | 13.8 | 16.1 |
| Masulipatam | 17.6 | 19.1 | 19.0 | 17.6 | 18.0 | 17.4 | 14.2 | 13.8 | 13.9 | 13.3 | 13.3 | 16.0 | 16.1 |
| Cuddapah | 23.4 | 26.2 | 26.2 | 24.5 | 21.9 | 18.7 | 16.5 | 16.2 | 16.6 | 15.8 | 17.3 | 18.8 | 20.2 |
| Kurnool | 29.5 | 30.7 | 28.7 | 26.3 | 23.9 | 19.4 | 16.2 | 15.6 | 16.1 | 18.0 | 22.4 | 26.0 | 22.7 |
| Bellary | 27.0 | 29.8 | 28.4 | 26.9 | 25.2 | 19.2 | 16.6 | 17.4 | 17.8 | 18.6 | 20.6 | 24.6 | 22.7 |
| Rajahmundry | 22.4 | 23.3 | 22.1 | 21.7 | 21.3 | 17.2 | 11.6 | 12.2 | 13.3 | 14.6 | 17.5 | 20.5 | 19.1 |
| Cocanada | 14.0 | 14.5 | 15.1 | 15.8 | 14.7 | 13.3 | 10.1 | 9.8 | 10.3 | 10.3 | 11.8 | 13.1 | 12.7 |
| Vizagapatam* | 8.7 | 8.3 | 6.6 | 5.6 | 5.3 | 5.1 | 5.1 | 4.9 | 4.8 | 5.3 | 5.7 | 7.3 | 6.1 |
| Quetta | 22.2 | 20.7 | 24.8 | 27.2 | 30.9 | 31.4 | 27.3 | 28.7 | 34.8 | 35.6 | 32.9 | 28.3 | 28.7 |
| Murree | 12.5 | 13.6 | 14.9 | 16.4 | 17.1 | 17.6 | 14.5 | 13.1 | 15.0 | 16.1 | 15.9 | 13.7 | 15.0 |
| Simla | 5.4 | 11.0 | 12.4 | 14.3 | 14.2 | 14.7 | 8.7 | 7.7 | 10.6 | 11.7 | 11.7 | 6.6 | 10.8 |
| Chakrata | 14.6 | 15.2 | 17.9 | 18.6 | 17.9 | 14.9 | 9.8 | 9.8 | 11.9 | 16.0 | 16.0 | 16.3 | 14.9 |
| Mussooree | ... | ... | ... | ... | 18.4 | 15.5 | 9.5 | 9.1 | 10.5 | 12.6 | 13.4 | 12.0 | ... |
| Ranikhet | 14.5 | 14.6 | 16.2 | 17.4 | 17.5 | 14.9 | 10.9 | 10.4 | 12.3 | 15.1 | 15.7 | 15.6 | 14.6 |
| Darjeeling | 10.4 | 12.1 | 13.7 | 13.9 | 12.0 | 9.9 | 9.4 | 9.3 | 9.7 | 11.8 | 12.9 | 12.1 | 11.4 |
| Mount Abu | 15.9 | 15.7 | 16.7 | 17.3 | 17.7 | 15.3 | 9.0 | 7.5 | 10.6 | 14.7 | 16.2 | 16.4 | 14.4 |
| Pachmarhi | 23.5 | 24.4 | 24.1 | 23.0 | 20.0 | 13.9 | 7.6 | 7.9 | 10.8 | 17.4 | 21.0 | 24.2 | 18.1 |
| Wellington | 21.0 | 23.7 | 20.9 | 19.7 | 17.3 | 13.6 | 12.7 | 13.6 | 15.3 | 13.5 | 14.3 | 16.5 | 16.9 |
| Aden | 9.4 | 9.4 | 10.5 | 13.0 | 13.0 | 11.0 | 11.3 | 11.4 | 11.5 | 14.1 | 12.9 | 10.0 | 11.5 |

* The thermometers at the Jugga Row Observatory, Vizagapatam (a private observatory) are exposed against an inner wall of the large drawing-room of the residence of the proprietor, and hence the diurnal range is much less than it would be if the instruments were exposed in a shed as at other observatories in India.

In Tables I and II of each of the monthly reviews for 1894 are given the variations of the mean temperature conditions of each station, and of the eleven meteorological provinces from the normal temperature conditions of the month. The following table gives summaries of the temperature variation data for each month of the year 1894 and for the year. In the first table (Table IV) the same division has been adopted as that employed in the Annual Reports from 1887 to 1890, thus enabling an exact comparison to be made of the temperature data of

the year 1894 with those of previous years given in the Annual Reports. In the second set of tables [Tables V(a), V(b), and V(c)] the variation data are given for the eleven divisions or meteorological provinces into which the Empire is divided for the purpose chiefly of comparing meteorological and health statistics, and in the last table (Table VI) the data are given for the 52 smaller divisions or areas into which India is sub-divided with a view to the comparison of meteorological and crop statistics.

TABLE IV.—Geographical Summary of the temperature data of Table II in the 1894 monthly reviews.

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE | Number of Stations. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| North-West Himalaya | 6-7 | 0 -2.5 | 0 +0.8 | 0 -2.3 | 0 +0.2 | 0 +2.0 | 0 -0.2 | 0 -0.7 | 0 -0.3 | 0 +0.7 | 0 +1.3 | 0 -1.5 | 0 -4.9 | 0 -0.6 |
| Sikkim Himalaya and Nepal. | 2 | -0.9 | +2.6 | -1.6 | +0.4 | +2.4 | -0.1 | -0.8 | -1.3 | -0.7 | +0.5 | -1.3 | -0.7 | -0.1 |
| Punjab Plains . . | 4 | -0.5 | +1.8 | -1.4 | +1.3 | +3.9 | +0.5 | -1.9 | +0.1 | +0.6 | +1.6 | +1.3 | +0.3 | +0.6 |
| Gangetic Plain . . | 9 | +0.9 | +1.7 | -1.6 | -0.4 | +3.2 | -1.6 | -0.7 | -1.6 | -0.8 | +0.1 | +0.4 | +0.5 | 0 |
| Western Rajputana . | 2-3 | -1.5 | +1.4 | -0.6 | +1.7 | +0.7 | -0.4 | -2.3 | -0.3 | +0.7 | +0.1 | +0.6 | -1.2 | -0.1 |
| Eastern Rajputana and Central India. | 3-4 | +1.3 | +3.0 | -1.3 | -0.1 | +1.8 | -2.4 | -1.9 | -0.7 | -0.2 | +0.8 | -0.2 | +1.4 | +0.1 |
| Nerbudda Valley . . | 2-3 | +2.0 | +4.4 | -1.0 | +0.2 | +0.6 | -2.7 | -1.4 | -0.5 | -0.5 | +0.5 | -1.7 | +3.7 | +0.2 |
| Chota Nagpur . . . | 1 | +1.0 | +2.1 | +0.3 | +0.5 | +4.4 | -0.7 | -1.1 | -0.5 | +0.3 | +0.6 | -1.2 | +0.5 | +0.5 |
| Lower Bengal . . . | 5 | +0.7 | +2.2 | +0.4 | -0.6 | +2.4 | -1.0 | -1.3 | -1.0 | -0.2 | +0.4 | -1.1 | +0.7 | +0.1 |
| Assam and Cachar . | 3 | +0.2 | +3.1 | -0.1 | +0.7 | +0.2 | +0.5 | +0.2 | -0.8 | -1.1 | +0.1 | -0.4 | +0.4 | +0.3 |
| Orissa | 2 | +0.7 | +1.9 | +1.3 | -0.2 | +2.6 | -1.4 | -1.1 | -0.4 | +0.6 | +0.6 | -0.4 | +0.9 | +0.4 |
| Central Provinces South and Berar. | 5 | +1.5 | +3.2 | -0.4 | -0.2 | +1.1 | -1.4 | -0.4 | 0 | -0.4 | +0.5 | -1.7 | +2.3 | +0.2 |
| Konkan | 3 | +0.6 | +1.9 | +0.4 | +0.5 | +0.4 | +0.5 | 0 | +0.6 | -0.5 | -0.2 | -0.4 | -0.4 | +0.3 |
| Malabar Coast . . | 1 | +0.7 | +0.3 | +0.7 | -0.9 | +0.6 | +0.3 | +0.2 | -0.6 | +0.5 | 0 | +0.2 | +0.9 | +0.2 |
| Deccan Hyderabad and Mysore. | 4-5 | +0.8 | +0.6 | +0.1 | -1.1 | -0.5 | +0.6 | 0 | +0.1 | -0.6 | -0.4 | -0.7 | +1.5 | 0 |
| East Coast and Carnatic. | 4 | +0.1 | +0.2 | +1.0 | -0.3 | +1.5 | +1.1 | +1.2 | +0.3 | +0.1 | +0.5 | -0.4 | +0.6 | +0.5 |
| Arakan and Pegu . . | 5 | +0.5 | +2.3 | +0.5 | +0.2 | -1.2 | -0.1 | 0 | +0.1 | +0.8 | +0.2 | -0.2 | +0.7 | +0.3 |
| Bay Islands . . . | 1 | -0.2 | +2.2 | +1.2 | -0.1 | -1.2 | -0.2 | +0.3 | 0 | -0.8 | +0.2 | +0.4 | +0.7 | +0.2 |
| Extra Tropical India | 39-41 | -0.1 | +2.0 | -1.2 | +0.2 | +2.0 | -0.9 | -1.1 | -0.8 | -0.1 | +0.6 | -0.4 | -0.3 | 0 |
| Tropical India . . | 25-26 | +0.7 | +1.7 | +0.4 | -0.2 | +0.3 | -0.1 | +0.1 | +0.1 | -0.1 | +0.2 | -0.6 | +1.0 | +0.3 |
| Whole India . . . | 65-67 | +0.2 | +1.9 | -0.5 | 0 | +1.5 | -0.6 | -0.7 | -0.5 | -0.1 | +0.4 | -0.5 | +0.2 | +0.1 |

TABLE V (a).—Variation of the mean monthly maximum temperature from the normal in 1894 in the eleven meteorological provinces of India.

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands . | 0 -0.1 | 0 +1.2 | 0 +0.5 | 0 +0.3 | 0 -3.1 | 0 -0.5 | 0 -0.7 | 0 -0.1 | 0 +0.5 | 0 -0.4 | 0 -0.4 | 0 +0.4 | 0 -0.2 |
| Burma Inland | 0 | +0.9 | -1.6 | -2.1 | -3.2 | -1.3 | -1.9 | -1.6 | -0.2 | -1.0 | -0.6 | -0.2 | -1.3 |
| Assam | +0.7 | +3.4 | -0.8 | +1.0 | -1.0 | +0.8 | +0.3 | -1.3 | -2.5 | -1.5 | -1.7 | -1.0 | -0.2 |
| Bengal and Orissa . . . | +0.7 | +2.3 | +0.5 | -0.8 | +2.7 | -0.6 | -0.6 | -1.0 | -0.4 | -0.7 | -1.8 | -0.3 | 0 |
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur. | +0.7 | +0.3 | -1.5 | -1.3 | +4.1 | -1.7 | -0.4 | -2.0 | -0.8 | -2.5 | -2.1 | -0.4 | -0.6 |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas . . | -4.2 | -1.7 | -4.5 | -0.8 | +3.7 | -2.9 | -3.7 | -2.1 | -1.7 | +0.1 | -2.0 | -4.5 | -2.1 |
| Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. | -4.8 | -0.9 | -1.7 | +1.5 | +2.2 | +0.8 | -3.4 | +0.2 | +0.2 | +0.5 | +0.4 | -3.2 | -0.7 |
| East Rajputana, Central India and Gujarat. | -1.1 | +1.2 | -1.4 | +0.5 | +0.7 | -3.5 | -3.0 | -0.6 | -0.4 | -1.6 | -0.7 | -2.6 | -1.0 |
| Deccan | +0.7 | +1.6 | -1.2 | -1.2 | +1.2 | -1.8 | -0.7 | -0.4 | -0.7 | -1.5 | -1.9 | +1.5 | -0.4 |
| West Coast | +0.9 | +1.8 | +0.3 | -0.1 | +0.7 | +0.7 | +0.5 | +0.4 | -0.3 | -0.8 | +0.2 | +0.4 | +0.4 |
| South India | 0 | -0.7 | +0.3 | -1.3 | +1.2 | +0.9 | +1.5 | +0.5 | -0.9 | -0.8 | -0.9 | +1.3 | +0.2 |

TABLE V (b).—*Variation of the mean monthly minimum temperature from the normal in 1894 in the eleven meteorological provinces of India.*

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|--|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° |
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands . | +0.2 | +3.2 | +1.8 | +0.8 | -0.7 | +0.2 | 0 | +0.3 | +0.6 | -0.1 | -1.5 | -0.6 | +0.4 |
| Burma Inland | -1.1 | +2.6 | +1.3 | +0.9 | -1.2 | -0.2 | -0.5 | -0.2 | +0.9 | +1.1 | -0.8 | +0.5 | +0.3 |
| Assam | -1.2 | +3.3 | -0.2 | +0.6 | +0.4 | +0.3 | -0.2 | -0.6 | -0.7 | +1.3 | +0.7 | +0.9 | +0.4 |
| Bengal and Orissa . . . | 0 | +3.2 | +0.2 | -0.1 | +1.6 | -0.2 | -0.6 | -0.4 | +0.3 | +1.7 | +0.3 | +1.9 | +0.7 |
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur. | +2.0 | +4.2 | -1.2 | -0.8 | +3.1 | -0.5 | -0.6 | -0.9 | +0.2 | +3.0 | +2.5 | +3.1 | +1.2 |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas . . | +1.7 | +3.8 | -1.5 | -0.6 | +2.1 | -0.1 | -0.9 | -0.3 | +0.2 | +0.9 | +3.0 | +3.2 | +0.9 |
| Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. | +0.2 | +2.0 | -1.4 | +0.2 | +1.2 | +0.7 | -0.9 | +0.3 | 0 | -1.6 | +1.2 | +1.5 | +0.3 |
| East Rajputana, Central India and Gujarat. | +2.0 | +3.8 | -1.0 | -0.3 | +0.7 | -0.7 | -1.2 | -0.2 | +0.7 | +1.3 | -0.6 | +2.9 | +0.7 |
| Deccan | +1.6 | +3.6 | +0.5 | -0.1 | +0.9 | -0.1 | -0.4 | 0 | +0.6 | +2.4 | -0.4 | +3.9 | +1.4 |
| West Coast | +0.1 | +1.2 | +0.9 | -0.2 | +0.6 | +0.5 | +0.2 | +0.5 | +0.1 | +0.3 | -0.2 | +0.4 | +0.0 |
| South India | 0 | +0.2 | +0.7 | -0.2 | +0.2 | +0.2 | +0.6 | +0.3 | +0.1 | +0.5 | -0.2 | 0 | +0.2 |

TABLE V (c).—*Variation of the mean monthly temperature from the normal in 1894 in the eleven meteorological provinces of India.*

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|--|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° |
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands . | +0.1 | +2.2 | +1.2 | +0.6 | -1.9 | -0.2 | -0.4 | +0.1 | +0.5 | -0.3 | -1.0 | -0.2 | +0.1 |
| Burma Inland | -0.6 | +1.8 | -0.2 | -0.7 | -2.2 | -0.8 | -1.2 | -1.0 | +0.4 | +0.1 | -0.7 | +0.2 | -0.5 |
| Assam | -0.3 | +3.4 | -0.5 | +0.8 | -0.5 | +0.6 | +0.1 | -1.0 | -1.6 | -0.1 | -0.5 | -0.1 | +0.1 |
| Bengal and Orissa . . . | +0.4 | +2.7 | +0.3 | -0.5 | +2.2 | -0.4 | -0.6 | -0.7 | 0 | +0.5 | -0.8 | +0.8 | +0.3 |
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur. | +1.4 | +2.3 | -1.4 | -1.1 | +3.7 | -1.1 | -0.5 | -1.5 | -0.3 | +0.2 | +0.2 | +1.4 | +0.3 |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas . . | -1.2 | +1.1 | -3.0 | -0.7 | +3.0 | -1.5 | -2.3 | -1.2 | -0.8 | +0.5 | +0.5 | -0.6 | -0.6 |
| Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. | -2.3 | +0.6 | -1.6 | +0.9 | +1.7 | +0.8 | -2.2 | +0.3 | +0.1 | -0.5 | +0.8 | -0.8 | -0.2 |
| East Rajputana, Central India and Gujarat. | +0.5 | +2.5 | -1.3 | +0.1 | +0.6 | -2.1 | -2.1 | -0.4 | +0.1 | -0.2 | -0.7 | +0.1 | -0.2 |
| Deccan | +1.2 | +2.7 | -0.4 | -0.7 | +1.0 | -1.0 | -0.6 | -0.2 | -0.1 | +0.4 | -1.2 | +2.7 | +0.3 |
| West Coast | +0.5 | +1.5 | +0.6 | -0.1 | +0.7 | +0.6 | +0.4 | +0.4 | -0.1 | -0.2 | 0 | +0.4 | +0.4 |
| South India | 0 | -0.2 | +0.4 | -0.8 | +0.7 | +0.6 | +1.1 | +0.4 | -0.4 | +0.6 | -0.5 | +0.6 | +0.2 |

TABLE VI.—Variation of the mean monthly and annual temperature from the normal in 1894 in the 52 meteorological districts or divisions of India.

| PROVINCE. | Division. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Mean variation of year. |
|--|--|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------------------------|
| | | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° |
| BURMA | Tenasserim . . . | -0.7 | +2.2 | +1.5 | +1.3 | -2.4 | -0.1 | -0.6 | +0.1 | +0.9 | -0.2 | -0.9 | -0.2 | +0.1 |
| | Lower Burma . . . | +0.7 | +2.5 | +0.9 | +0.3 | -1.9 | +0.1 | 0 | +0.4 | +0.5 | -0.1 | -0.7 | +0.1 | +0.2 |
| | Central do. . . . | -0.6 | +1.8 | +0.5 | -1.1 | -2.3 | -0.1 | -0.6 | -0.2 | +0.7 | -0.3 | -1.0 | -0.1 | -0.3 |
| | Upper do. | ? | ? | -0.8 | -0.2 | -1.2 | -1.4 | -1.8 | -1.7 | 0 | +0.5 | -0.4 | +0.5 | -0.7 |
| | Arakan | -0.5 | +1.7 | +1.2 | +0.2 | -0.9 | -1.0 | -0.9 | -0.9 | -0.1 | -1.0 | -2.2 | -1.4 | -0.5 |
| BENGAL AND ASSAM. | Eastern Bengal . . . | 0 | +3.0 | -0.1 | -0.1 | +0.9 | -0.2 | -0.4 | -0.8 | +0.2 | +0.2 | -1.3 | +0.4 | +0.2 |
| | Assam (Surma) . . . | +0.4 | +3.5 | -0.3 | +0.2 | +0.3 | +1.1 | +0.6 | -0.5 | -0.4 | -0.8 | -0.8 | +0.8 | +0.3 |
| | Do. (Brahmaputra) . . | -0.6 | +3.5 | -0.6 | +1.0 | -0.9 | +0.4 | -0.3 | -1.3 | -2.2 | +0.3 | -0.4 | -0.5 | -0.1 |
| | Deltaic Bengal . . . | +0.3 | +1.8 | +0.9 | -0.5 | +2.4 | -1.1 | -1.4 | -1.0 | +0.1 | +0.3 | -1.3 | +0.6 | +0.1 |
| | Central do. | +1.1 | +2.8 | -0.5 | -1.1 | +2.9 | -0.4 | -0.4 | -0.8 | -0.1 | +0.7 | -0.8 | +0.9 | +0.4 |
| | North do. | ? | +4.7 | -0.5 | +0.4 | +1.9 | +1.2 | +1.0 | -0.7 | -1.2 | +1.0 | +0.1 | +1.0 | +0.8 |
| | Orissa | +0.6 | +2.0 | +1.5 | -0.7 | +2.7 | -1.0 | -1.4 | -0.3 | +0.5 | +0.6 | -0.3 | +1.2 | +0.5 |
| | Chota Nagpur | +1.2 | +3.4 | +0.7 | 0 | +4.7 | -1.0 | -0.9 | -0.6 | +0.7 | +1.1 | -0.3 | +1.4 | +0.9 |
| | Bihar (South) | +1.8 | +2.2 | -1.9 | -1.3 | +4.4 | -0.4 | -0.4 | -1.6 | -0.7 | +0.3 | +0.4 | +1.9 | +0.4 |
| | Do. (North) | +1.0 | +3.3 | -1.1 | -0.6 | +2.6 | -0.3 | +0.8 | -0.9 | -0.9 | +0.8 | +0.3 | +1.3 | +0.5 |
| NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES AND OUDH. | North-Western Provinces (East). . . | +1.5 | +1.4 | -2.1 | -1.3 | +3.1 | -2.1 | -1.0 | -2.1 | -0.4 | -0.6 | +0.2 | +1.3 | -0.2 |
| | Oudh (South) | +1.0 | +0.9 | -2.5 | -2.0 | +3.5 | -1.5 | -0.6 | -2.5 | -0.2 | -0.3 | +0.4 | +0.6 | -0.3 |
| | Do. (North) | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? |
| | North-Western Provinces (Central). . . | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? |
| | North-Western Provinces (West). . . | +0.2 | +1.2 | -1.4 | +0.3 | +2.9 | -2.2 | -1.3 | -0.7 | -0.4 | -1.2 | -0.3 | -0.1 | -0.3 |
| | North-Western Provinces (Submontane). . . | -0.4 | +1.6 | -2.8 | -0.8 | +2.7 | -1.4 | -1.1 | -1.5 | -0.8 | +0.8 | +0.5 | -0.2 | -0.3 |
| PUNJAB | Punjab (South) . . . | -2.3 | -0.2 | -2.5 | +0.4 | +3.5 | -0.2 | -1.4 | +0.7 | -1.1 | +0.6 | +0.7 | -1.2 | -0.3 |
| | Do. (Central) | -1.3 | +1.5 | -2.5 | 0 | +3.8 | -0.9 | -2.8 | +0.5 | 0 | +1.3 | +1.8 | -0.1 | +0.1 |
| | Do. (Submontane) . . | -0.9 | +0.5 | -3.8 | -0.3 | +3.2 | -2.1 | -4.2 | -1.0 | -2.0 | -0.4 | +0.1 | -0.7 | -1.0 |
| | Do. (Hill Districts) . . | -4.7 | +0.5 | -3.4 | -0.5 | +2.5 | -0.8 | -2.5 | -0.6 | -0.2 | +2.0 | -1.1 | -4.4 | -1.1 |
| | Do. (North-West) . . . | -2.6 | +1.7 | -2.7 | -0.8 | +1.7 | -0.8 | -3.3 | -0.4 | 0 | +0.2 | +0.8 | -0.7 | -0.6 |
| | Do. (West) | -2.2 | +1.3 | -2.9 | +0.4 | +3.6 | +1.1 | -1.2 | +0.2 | 0 | -0.2 | +0.6 | +0.1 | +0.1 |
| BOMBAY AND MALABAR COAST DISTRICTS (MADRAS). | Malabar | +0.5 | +0.7 | +0.6 | -0.8 | +0.6 | +0.5 | +0.5 | -0.2 | +0.1 | -0.1 | +0.2 | +0.9 | +0.3 |
| | Madras (South Central) . . | -0.1 | -1.1 | -0.2 | -1.4 | +0.1 | +1.3 | +0.9 | +0.5 | +0.2 | +1.0 | -0.4 | +0.9 | +0.1 |
| | Coorg | +0.5 | +0.4 | 0 | -1.6 | -1.2 | +0.3 | +0.8 | -0.1 | -0.6 | -0.6 | -1.0 | +1.1 | -0.2 |
| | Mysore | +1.6 | +0.9 | +2.2 | -1.0 | -1.4 | -0.2 | +0.5 | +0.1 | +0.2 | +1.1 | -0.6 | +1.2 | +0.4 |
| | Konkan | +0.5 | +2.1 | +0.6 | +0.6 | +0.7 | +0.8 | +0.2 | +1.1 | -0.3 | -0.4 | -0.2 | -0.1 | +0.5 |
| | Bombay Deccan | +0.6 | +0.5 | +0.3 | -1.3 | -0.3 | +0.8 | -0.2 | +0.5 | -0.8 | -0.1 | -1.0 | -0.1 | -0.1 |
| | Hyderabad (North) . . . | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? |
| | Khandesh | +1.7 | +3.3 | -0.5 | +0.6 | 0 | -0.1 | -0.8 | +1.1 | -0.1 | +1.5 | -2.4 | +3.4 | +0.6 |
| CENTRAL PROVINCES AND BERAR. | Berar | +1.9 | +3.7 | +0.2 | -0.6 | +0.4 | -1.6 | -0.6 | +0.6 | -0.5 | +0.9 | -1.6 | +3.7 | +0.5 |
| | Central Provinces (West) . . | +1.5 | +3.8 | -0.5 | -0.6 | +0.7 | -2.4 | -1.0 | -0.8 | -0.4 | +0.3 | -1.7 | +3.4 | +0.2 |
| | Do. (Central) | +0.9 | +3.3 | -1.0 | -0.9 | +1.0 | -1.9 | -0.9 | -0.8 | +0.3 | +0.7 | -1.3 | +2.9 | +0.2 |
| | Do. (East) | +1.4 | +3.0 | +0.5 | -0.5 | +3.1 | -0.3 | -1.1 | -0.9 | +0.8 | +0.5 | -0.2 | +2.1 | +0.7 |
| BOMBAY NORTH | Gujarat | +1.1 | +3.0 | +0.5 | +0.9 | -0.3 | -0.8 | -1.6 | +0.6 | -0.2 | +0.1 | -2.8 | +0.3 | +0.1 |
| | Kathiawar | +0.5 | +1.5 | -1.5 | +0.7 | -1.3 | -2.4 | -4.0 | -0.4 | -0.2 | -1.0 | -0.6 | -0.7 | -0.8 |
| | Sind and Cutch | -2.1 | +0.2 | -0.4 | +1.5 | +0.3 | +0.6 | -2.5 | -0.4 | 0 | -1.3 | +0.9 | -1.8 | -0.4 |
| RAJPUTANA AND CENTRAL INDIA. | Central India (East) . . . | +1.3 | +2.2 | -2.4 | -1.2 | +2.5 | -2.6 | -1.6 | -0.7 | +1.2 | -0.3 | +0.9 | +2.5 | +0.2 |
| | Rajputana (East) Central India (West). . . | +0.5 | +3.2 | -1.2 | +0.2 | +0.6 | -2.3 | -2.3 | -0.4 | +0.2 | +0.5 | -0.6 | +0.1 | -0.1 |
| | Rajputana (West) | -2.9 | +0.3 | -3.4 | +0.3 | +1.8 | 0 | -2.3 | +0.1 | +1.1 | -0.9 | -0.2 | -3.3 | -0.8 |
| MADRAS | East Coast (North) . . . | -0.4 | -0.5 | +0.7 | -1.1 | +1.3 | -1.5 | +1.4 | +0.9 | -0.3 | +0.3 | -0.1 | +0.6 | +0.1 |
| | Hyderabad (South) . . . | +0.1 | -0.6 | -0.4 | -0.7 | +1.1 | +1.0 | +1.9 | ? | -0.8 | +0.2 | -1.4 | +1.5 | +0.2 |
| | Madras (Central) | -0.3 | -1.0 | +0.1 | -0.6 | -0.3 | +1.1 | +0.4 | -0.4 | -0.7 | +0.7 | -1.3 | +0.5 | -0.2 |
| | East Coast (Central) . . . | -0.2 | 0 | 0 | -0.9 | +2.0 | +0.5 | +1.5 | +1.2 | -1.5 | -0.1 | -1.0 | +0.4 | +0.1 |
| | East Coast (South) . . . | -0.3 | +0.4 | +0.7 | -0.1 | +2.2 | +1.8 | +1.9 | +0.4 | -0.5 | +1.4 | 0 | +0.7 | +0.7 |
| | Madras (South) | -0.2 | -0.3 | +0.5 | -0.5 | +1.6 | +1.2 | +0.4 | +1.4 | -0.8 | +0.2 | -0.8 | -0.4 | +0.2 |

In the following discussion of the meteorology of India during the year 1894, the year is divided into four seasons according to the following arrangement:—

- 1st—The cold weather period, including the months of January and February.
- 2nd—The hot weather period, including the months of March, April and May.
- 3rd—The period of the south-west monsoon rains proper, including the months of June, July, August and September.
- 4th—The period of the retreating south-west monsoon, including the months of October, November and December.

The following gives a *resumé* of the chief features of the temperature conditions during the year:—

I.—The Cold Weather Period.—The weather was disturbed during this period by a succession of storms. Four cold weather storms advanced across Northern India in January. Two of these were very feeble disturbances, and only one of the four gave rise to a well-marked secondary depression in the Punjab. Three cold weather storms affected the weather in North-Western India during the month of February. They were feeble diffused disturbances, and only noteworthy on account of the precipitation they gave in North-Western India. The most remarkable feature of the whole of the cold weather storms was that they gave rainfall to much higher elevations than usual, and hence there was not throughout the period any large accumulation of snow on the highlands of Baluchistan and Afghanistan.

The heavy snowfall which accompanied them in the Western Himalayas was restricted to the higher elevations and extended further into the interior than usual. Ladakh and the Karakoram mountain range hence received unusually large snowfall. In consequence of the abnormal character and distribution of the snowfall, the cold waves which followed the storms in their passage across Northern India were much feebler than usual, and the disturbed weather of the period exercised comparatively little influence on the temperature conditions of the period.

The following gives a summary of the chief features of the temperature conditions of the period:—

- 1st.—The mean day temperature was below the normal to a considerable extent in North-Western India and was normal or in slight excess in North-East and Central India and the Peninsula in January. It was in slight defect in Upper India and in slight to moderate excess over the remainder of India in February. Hence on the mean of the period it was in moderate defect in North-Western India and in slight excess in North-East and Central India and the Peninsula. The following gives com-

parative data for that area of deficient day temperature:—

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | VARIATION OF MEAN MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE FROM NORMAL. | | |
|---------------------------|--|----------------|------------------------------------|
| | January 1894. | February 1894. | Period, January and February 1894. |
| Punjab | —5·6 | —2·0 | —3·8 |
| Sind | —5·0 | —1·8 | —3·4 |
| Rajputana (West) | —4·5 | —0·1 | —2·3 |
| North-Western Provinces . | —1·1 | —1·2 | —1·2 |

Comparative data for the remainder of India are given below:—

| Political Division. | VARIATION OF MEAN MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE FROM NORMAL. | | |
|---------------------------|--|----------------|------------------------------------|
| | January 1894. | February 1894. | Period, January and February 1894. |
| Rajputana | —2·8 | +1·0 | —0·9 |
| Central India | —0·5 | —0·6 | —0·6 |
| Bengal | +1·0 | +2·1 | +1·6 |
| Assam | +0·9 | +3·7 | +2·3 |
| Central Provinces | +1·1 | +2·5 | +1·8 |
| Bombay | +0·8 | +1·5 | +1·2 |
| Madras | —0·3 | —1·1 | —0·7 |

- 2nd.—The mean minimum or night temperature was in general excess during the period, as is shown by the following data for the larger political divisions:—

| Political Division. | VARIATION FROM NORMAL OF MEAN MINIMUM TEMPERATURE OF | | |
|---------------------------|--|----------------|------------------------------------|
| | January 1894. | February 1894. | Period, January and February 1894. |
| Punjab | +1·0 | +3·7 | +2·4 |
| North-Western Provinces . | +2·2 | +3·7 | +3·0 |
| Rajputana | +0·5 | +2·5 | +1·5 |
| Central India | +3·0 | +4·9 | +4·0 |
| Bihar and Chota Nagpur . | +1·3 | +4·1 | +2·7 |
| Bengal and Assam | —0·2 | +3·3 | +1·6 |
| Central Provinces | +1·4 | +4·1 | +2·8 |
| Bombay | +0·8 | +1·8 | +1·3 |
| Madras | —0·1 | +0·2 | +0·1 |
| Burma | —0·5 | +2·9 | +1·2 |

The increased night temperature was hence most strongly shown in North-Western India, more especially in the North-Western Provinces, Central India, Bihar, Chota Nagpur and the Central Provinces.

3rd.—The mean temperature of the period was in slight defect in the area of diminished day temperature and in slight to moderate excess in the remainder of India. The following shows that the variations of the mean temperature conditions of the period were nowhere large or important:—

| POLITICAL DIVISION, | VARIATION FROM NORMAL OF MEAN DAILY TEMPERATURE OF | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|----------------|-----------------------------------|
| | January 1894. | February 1894. | Period January and February 1894. |
| Punjab | -2'3 | +6'9 | -0'7 |
| North-Western Provinces | +0'6 | +1'3 | +1'0 |
| Rajputana | -1'2 | +1'8 | +0'3 |
| Central India | +1'3 | +2'2 | +1'8 |
| Bihar and Chota Nagpur | +1'3 | +3'0 | +2'2 |
| Bengal | +0'5 | +2'9 | +1'7 |
| Assam | -0'1 | +3'5 | +1'7 |
| Central Provinces | +1'3 | +3'4 | +2'4 |
| Bombay | +0'8 | +1'7 | +1'3 |
| Madras | -0'2 | -0'5 | -0'4 |
| Burma | -0'3 | +2'1 | +0'9 |

Temperature was most considerably in excess in the Central Provinces, Chota Nagpur and Bihar, in which areas it was on the mean of the whole period slightly above 2° in excess. Also, as is very frequently the case, in the cold weather when temperature is above the normal in Northern India, it was in defect in Madras.

4th.—The temperature conditions at the hill stations in Upper India were similar to those in the adjacent plains. Temperature was in moderate defect in January, and in slight excess in February, and was hence in slight defect on the mean of the period. It is noteworthy that notwithstanding the heavy snowfall in Ladakh, the mean temperature of the period was reduced below the normal to a consider-

ably less extent at Leh than at the hill stations in Upper India:—

| STATION. | VARIATION FROM NORMAL OF MEAN DAILY TEMPERATURE OF | | |
|--------------------|--|----------------|------------------------------------|
| | January 1894. | February 1894. | Period, January and February 1894. |
| Leh | -0'2 | -0'7 | -0'5 |
| Kailang | -1'1 | +2'3 | +0'6 |
| Murree | -6'2 | +1'5 | -2'4 |
| Simla | -2'5 | -0'5 | -1'5 |
| Chakrata | -2'9 | +1'6 | -0'7 |
| Quetta | -4'7 | +0'6 | -2'1 |

The preceding data hence establish that the disturbed weather of the period exercised unusually little influence in reducing temperature below the normal of the period in Upper India.

The coldest periods in North-Western India were the 5th to the 7th January, the 23rd to the 25th January, and the 29th January to the 1st of February, but the minimum temperatures recorded during these periods were by no means so low as are occasionally observed in the cold weather. The following gives the lowest minimum temperatures recorded at ten representative stations in Northern India in the cold weathers of 1891-92, 1892-93, and 1893-94, for comparison:—

| STATION. | LOWEST MINIMUM TEMPERATURE RECORDED IN COLD WEATHER OF | | |
|---------------------|--|----------|----------|
| | 1893-94. | 1892-93. | 1891-92. |
| Gnatong | 10'1 | -5'5 | 3'1 |
| Leh | -6'5 | -4'8 | 4'8 |
| Murree | 24'5 | 19'2 | 27'7 |
| Quetta | 14'8 | 11'8 | 21'8 |
| Peshawar | 33'4 | 31'9 | 31'9 |
| Lahore | 38'2 | 33'2 | 33'2 |
| Jeypore | 42'2 | 36'7 | 44'2 |
| Jacobabad | 34'5 | 34'5 | 37'6 |
| Lucknow | 42'2 | 40'0 | 38'9 |
| Allahabad | 43'9 | 40'4 | 41'9 |

II.—The Hot Weather Period.—Weather was more disturbed and showery than usual in March, more especially in North-Western India. Temperature was hence reduced below the normal, thus delaying the establishment of hot weather conditions in Northern and Central India. During the months of April and May, temperature varied more rapidly and largely than usual, partly

in consequence of the more frequent occurrence of series of hot weather storms, and partly of the unusually heavy rainfall in Burma Assam and East Bengal in May. The most remarkable feature of the period was the sharp contrast in May between the temperature conditions of the area of heavy rainfall in East Bengal, and the area of hot dry winds in West Bengal.

The chief features of the temperature conditions of the period are given below :—

1st.—The maximum or day temperature was below the normal to a large extent in Upper India in March, and considerably below it in May in Burma, Assam and East Bengal. It was in moderate to large excess in May in the Gangetic Plain and Upper and Central India, and in slight to moderate excess in the Peninsula. The following gives comparative data for the larger political divisions :—

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | VARIATION OF MEAN MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE FROM NORMAL. | | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|-------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. | Period, March to May. |
| Punjab | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Punjab | —4·6 | —0·5 | +3·4 | —0·6 |
| North-Western Provinces | —2·6 | —0·5 | +3·8 | +0·2 |
| Rajputana | —1·6 | +1·1 | +1·5 | +0·3 |
| Central India | —3·2 | —1·0 | +2·0 | —0·7 |
| Bihar and Chota Nagpur | —0·6 | —1·1 | +4·4 | +0·9 |
| Bengal and Orissa | +0·4 | —0·7 | +2·5 | +0·7 |
| Assam | —1·1 | +1·0 | —1·0 ² | —0·4 |
| Central Provinces | —1·2 | —1·1 | +1·8 | —0·2 |
| Bombay | —0·1 | —0·5 | +0·3 | —0·1 |
| Madras | —0·2 | —1·5 | +1·6 | 0 |
| Burma | —0·3 | —0·6 | —2·9 | —1·3 |

The data indicate that on the average of the whole period the mean day temperature differed little from the normal.

2nd.—The variations of the minimum temperature from the normal were similar to those of the maximum temperature, but were smaller in amount, and hence on the average of the whole

period the night temperature was practically normal as is shown by the following :—

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | VARIATION OF MEAN MINIMUM TEMPERATURE FROM NORMAL. | | | |
|--|--|-------------|-----------|-----------------------------|
| | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. | Period, March to May, 1894. |
| Punjab | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Punjab | —1·3 | +0·3 | +2·7 | +0·6 |
| North-Western Provinces and Oudh | —1·7 | —1·4 | +2·2 | —0·3 |
| Rajputana | —3·0 | —0·7 | +1·0 | —0·9 |
| Central India | —1·5 | —1·3 | +2·9 | 0 |
| Bihar and Chota Nagpur | —0·9 | —0·2 | +3·4 | +0·8 |
| Bengal and Orissa | +0·2 | —0·1 | +1·7 | +0·6 |
| Assam | +0·2 | +0·3 | +0·4 | +0·3 |
| Central Provinces | +0·6 | —0·2 | +1·4 | +0·6 |
| Bombay | +0·6 | 0 | +0·2 | +0·3 |
| Madras | +0·6 | 0 | +0·7 | +0·4 |
| Burma | +1·6 | +0·8 | —0·5 | +0·6 |

3rd.—The mean temperature was below the normal to a moderate extent in Upper India in the month of March, and in Burma and Assam in the month of May. The mean temperature of the whole period differed little from the normal, but was generally in very slight excess as is shown by the following data for the larger political divisions :—

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | VARIATION OF MEAN DAILY TEMPERATURE FROM NORMAL. | | | |
|--|--|-------------|-----------|-----------------------|
| | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. | Period, March to May. |
| Punjab | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Punjab | —3·0 | —0·1 | +3·1 | 0 |
| North-Western Provinces and Oudh | —2·2 | —0·9 | +3·0 | 0 |
| Rajputana | —2·3 | +0·2 | +1·3 | —0·3 |
| Central India | —2·4 | —1·2 | +2·5 | —0·4 |
| Bihar and Chota Nagpur | —0·8 | —0·6 | +3·9 | +0·8 |
| Bengal and Orissa | +0·2 | —0·4 | +2·1 | +0·6 |
| Assam | —0·5 | +0·6 | —0·3 | —0·1 |
| Central Provinces | —0·3 | —0·7 | +1·6 | +0·2 |
| Bombay | +0·3 | —0·2 | +0·3 | +0·1 |
| Madras | +0·2 | —0·8 | +1·2 | +0·2 |
| Burma | +0·7 | +0·1 | —1·7 | —0·3 |

The hottest period of the hot weather in 1894 extended from the 16th to the 29th or 30th May, and the highest maximum temperatures over the greater part of the interior of India were registered between the 27th and 31st. The most noteworthy feature of the hottest period was its intensity in West Bengal, Bihar and Chota Nagpur, where higher temperatures were registered than have been previously recorded, as is shown by the following data :—

| Station. | Highest maximum, 1894. | Date. | Highest previously recorded. | Year. |
|---------------------|------------------------|----------|------------------------------|-------|
| | ° | | ° | |
| Patna | 114°1 | 27th May | 113°8 | 1874 |
| Chaibassa | 117°8 | 29th „ | 116°0 | 1884 |
| Bankura | 117°1 | 28th „ | 116°1 | 1889 |
| Midnapore | 117°4 | 29th „ | 115°4 | 1889 |
| Balasore | 111°0 | 27th „ | 113°0 | 1888 |
| Sambalpur | 116°5 | 30th „ | 117°3 | 1892 |

This period from the 25th to the 31st was also the hottest period of the year in Sind, Rajputana and North-Western India generally, but the highest temperatures were not so excessive as are occasionally registered. Maximum temperatures between 114° and 120° were registered at the great majority of stations in the interior of Northern and Central India and the North Deccan during this period. Jacobabad recorded the absolute maximum of the year, *viz.*, 121° on the 5th of June (*i.e.*, for the 24 hours period preceding 8 A. M. of that date).

The most abnormal feature of this period was the contrast between the very low temperature prevailing in East Bengal, Assam and Burma, due to heavy rain, and the excessive temperature in West Bengal, Bihar, Chota Nagpur and the eastern districts of the Central Provinces. Full data are given in page 198 of the May review. The following gives the variations of the mean temperature from the normal during this period in Assam, and in Bihar and Chota Nagpur in illustration of the contrast —

| Political Division. | VARIATION FROM NORMAL OF MEAN TEMPERATURE OF 24 HOURS PRECEDING 8 A. M. OF DATE. | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|--|------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|
| | 20th | 21st | 22nd | 23rd | 24th | 25th | 26th | 27th | 28th |
| | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° |
| Assam | -0°7 | -0°9 | -2°5 | -4°5 | -5°5 | -3°0 | -5°4 | -6°9 | -6°5 |
| Bihar | +5°9 | +6°5 | +6°8 | +5°7 | +4°0 | +4°8 | +8°4 | +8°9 | +6°8 |
| Chota Nagpur | +6°9 | +4°0 | +6°1 | +7°1 | +7°3 | +9°4 | +11°0 | +10°3 | +12°2 |

III.—The South-West Monsoon Period.—The south-west monsoon current was slightly later than usual in

being established in the west coast districts, but advanced with unusual rapidity into the interior and gave an excessively heavy downpour in the Punjab at the end of the second week of June. Both currents prevailed with unusual steadiness in June, July and August, and gave heavy rainfall over nearly the whole of Northern and Central India. The rainfall was more or less below the normal during the months of June and July in two areas, *viz.*, the Deccan and Assam, North Bengal and East Bengal. These areas, however, obtained frequent and moderate to heavy rain in the latter half of August and September. The south-west monsoon rainfall in India was hence on the whole more abundant than usual, and was excessive in the greater part of the North-Western Provinces. The temperature conditions were determined by the distribution of the rainfall.

1st.—The maximum or day temperature was below the normal on the average of the whole period, as is shown by the following data for the larger political divisions :—

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | VARIATION FROM NORMAL OF MEAN MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE IN | | | | |
|--|--|------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| | June 1894. | July 1894. | August 1894. | September 1894. | Period June to September 1894. |
| | ° | ° | ° | ° | ° |
| Burma | -0°9 | -1°2 | -0°8 | +0°2 | -0°7 |
| Assam | +1°1 | +0°6 | -1°2 | -2°1 | -0°4 |
| Bengal and Orissa | -0°5 | -0°5 | -1°0 | -0°5 | -0°6 |
| Bihar and Chota-Nagpur | -1°2 | 0 | -1°4 | -0°8 | -0°9 |
| North-Western Provinces and Oudh | -2°4 | -1°0 | -2°5 | -1°1 | -1°8 |
| Punjab | -1°8 | -4°6 | -0°6 | -1°4 | -2°1 |
| Rajputana | -1°8 | -3°1 | +0°5 | +1°0 | -0°9 |
| Central India | -3°4 | -1°7 | -1°5 | +0°4 | -1°6 |
| Central Provinces | -2°6 | -1°3 | -1°1 | -0°2 | -1°3 |
| Bombay | +0°5 | +0°1 | +0°7 | -0°8 | +0°1 |
| Madras | +1°0 | +1°6 | +0°9 | -1°4 | +0°5 |

The deficiency was greatest in the area of excessive rainfall in the North-Western Provinces, Punjab and Central India.

2nd.—The minimum or night temperature differed very slightly from the normal. It was in slight defect in the areas of largest excess of rainfall relatively to the normal (*i.e.*, the North-Western Provinces and Rajputana) and was practically normal in the remaining

divisions as is shown by the following data:—

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | VARIATION FROM NORMAL OF MEAN MINIMUM TEMPERATURE IN | | | | |
|--|--|------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| | June 1894. | July 1894. | August 1894. | September 1894. | Period June to September 1894. |
| Burma | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Assam | -0.1 | -0.3 | -0.1 | +0.6 | 0 |
| Bengal and Orissa | +0.3 | -0.3 | -0.6 | -0.6 | -0.3 |
| Bihar and Chota Nagpur | -0.1 | -0.5 | -0.4 | +0.2 | -0.2 |
| North-Western Provinces and Oudh | +0.1 | -0.3 | -0.6 | +0.2 | -0.2 |
| Punjab | -1.1 | -0.9 | -0.9 | +0.3 | -0.7 |
| Rajputana | +0.6 | -0.5 | +0.4 | +0.3 | +0.2 |
| Central India | -0.5 | -1.5 | -0.7 | +0.3 | -0.6 |
| Central Provinces | -1.7 | -1.4 | +0.1 | +1.9 | -0.3 |
| Bombay | -0.4 | -0.7 | -0.5 | +0.7 | -0.2 |
| Madras | +0.5 | -0.2 | +0.5 | +0.3 | +0.3 |
| | +0.5 | +0.8 | +0.4 | +0.2 | +0.5 |

3rd.—The mean temperature of the period was in slight to moderate defect in the Punjab, the North-Western Provinces, Rajputana, Central India and the Central Provinces, and was practically normal in the remainder of the area. The following give comparative data for the larger political divisions:—

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | VARIATION FROM NORMAL OF MEAN DAILY TEMPERATURE IN | | | | |
|--|--|------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| | June 1894. | July 1894. | August 1894. | September 1894. | Period June to September 1894. |
| Burma | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Assam | -0.5 | -0.8 | -0.5 | +0.4 | -0.4 |
| Bengal and Orissa | +0.7 | +0.2 | -0.9 | -1.4 | -0.4 |
| Bihar and Chota Nagpur | -0.3 | -0.5 | -0.7 | -0.2 | -0.4 |
| North-Western Provinces and Oudh | -0.6 | -0.2 | -1.0 | -0.3 | -0.5 |
| Punjab | -1.8 | -1.0 | -1.7 | -0.4 | -1.2 |
| Rajputana | -0.6 | -2.6 | -0.1 | -0.6 | -1.0 |
| Central India | -1.2 | -2.3 | -0.1 | +0.7 | -0.7 |
| Central Provinces | -2.6 | -1.6 | -0.7 | +1.2 | -0.9 |
| Bombay | -1.5 | -1.0 | -0.8 | +0.3 | -0.8 |
| Madras | +0.5 | -0.1 | +0.6 | -0.3 | +0.2 |
| | +0.8 | +1.2 | +0.7 | -0.6 | +0.5 |

IV.—The Retreating South-West Monsoon Period.—The rainfall of the months of October and November was more abundant than usual, and was determined to an unusual extent to the Gangetic Plain, which received abnormally late and excessive rain. The rainfall during this period was more irregularly distributed than usual in the peninsula, more especially in Madras, but was nowhere in large defect. Temperature was hence generally in slight to moderate defect in these months over the greater part of Northern and Central India and was in very slight excess in the south of the peninsula. The rains came to an abrupt conclusion at the end of November due to the establishment of high pressure and low temperature conditions in Burma in the second half of November.

The following gives temperature variation data of Burma for this period:—

| Variation from normal of. | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Period October to December 1894. |
|---------------------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|----------------------------------|
| Maximum temperature . | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Minimum „ . | -0.7 | -0.6 | -0.1 | -0.5 |
| Mean „ . | +0.3 | -1.4 | -0.4 | -0.5 |
| | -0.2 | -1.0 | -0.3 | -0.5 |

This cool and also dry period in Burma extended from the middle of November to the third week of December, as is shown by the following temperature variation data of that province for the months of November and December:—

| WEEK ENDING. | VARIATION FROM NORMAL OF MEAN | | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| | Maximum temperature. | Minimum temperature. | Daily temperature. |
| 3rd November 1894 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 10th „ „ | +0.2 | +1.0 | +0.6 |
| 17th „ „ | -0.1 | +1.0 | +0.5 |
| 24th „ „ | -1.0 | -1.4 | -1.2 |
| 1st December „ | -1.0 | -3.5 | -2.3 |
| 8th „ „ | +0.3 | -1.3 | -0.5 |
| 15th „ „ | +0.5 | -0.8 | -0.2 |
| 22nd „ „ | -0.9 | -1.4 | -1.2 |
| 29th „ „ | +1.1 | +3.2 | +2.2 |
| | -0.6 | -1.9 | -1.3 |

The conditions prevailing during this period were similar to those which obtained in November 1892 and November 1893; and were, as in those years, an antecedent to the premature withdrawal of the retreating south-

west monsoon from the Bay and the early cessation of the so called "north-east monsoon rains" in Madras.

The following gives comparative data for the three years :—

| MONTH. | VARIATION OF MEAN TEMPERATURE FROM NORMAL IN BURMA IN | | |
|--------------------|---|-------|-------|
| | 1892. | 1893. | 1894. |
| | ° | ° | ° |
| October | -0.4 | -1.3 | -0.2 |
| November | 0 | -1.0 | -1.0 |
| December | -2.4 | -3.5 | -0.3 |

The following gives a very brief statement of the chief features of the temperature conditions in India of the period :—

1st.—The maximum or day temperature was generally below the normal in October and November, due to heavier and more widely spread rainfall than usual, and in December over Northern and Central India due to heavier and more frequent rain than usual from a succession of feeble cold weather storms. Hence, as shown below, the day temperature during the period was below the normal, the deficiency being considerable in North-Western India :—

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | VARIATION FROM NORMAL OF MEAN MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE IN | | | |
|--|--|----------------|----------------|-----------------------------|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Period October to December. |
| | ° | ° | ° | ° |
| Burma | -0.7 | -0.6 | -0.1 | -0.5 |
| Assam | -1.8 | -1.8 | -0.9 | -1.5 |
| Bengal and Orissa | -0.8 | -1.8 | -0.3 | -1.0 |
| Bihar and Chota Nagpur | -1.3 | -1.6 | +0.3 | -0.9 |
| North-Western Provinces and Oudh | -3.2 | -2.6 | -2.8 | -2.9 |
| Punjab | +1.2 | -1.2 | -4.5 | -1.5 |
| Rajputana | +0.6 | +1.0 | -3.5 | -0.6 |
| Central India | -4.5 | -2.4 | -0.5 | -2.5 |
| Central Provinces | -1.6 | -2.0 | +1.4 | -0.7 |
| Bombay | -0.8 | -0.5 | +1.1 | -0.1 |
| Madras | +0.3 | -1.2 | +1.0 | 0 |

2nd.—The minimum or night temperature was above the normal over nearly the whole of India during this period. The excess was considerable in Central India, North-Western India, Bihar, Chota Nagpur and the Central Provinces. As already stated, it was below the normal in Burma, the deficiency being most marked in November.

The following gives data for the period :—

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | VARIATION FROM NORMAL OF MEAN MINIMUM TEMPERATURE IN | | | |
|--|--|----------------|----------------|-----------------------------|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Period October to December. |
| | ° | ° | ° | ° |
| Burma | +0.3 | -1.4 | -0.4 | -0.5 |
| Assam | +1.3 | +0.7 | +1.3 | +1.1 |
| Bengal and Orissa | +1.8 | +0.4 | +1.9 | +1.4 |
| Bihar and Chota Nagpur | +2.7 | +1.9 | +2.7 | +2.4 |
| North-Western Provinces and Oudh | +2.6 | +2.9 | +3.6 | +3.0 |
| Punjab | 0 | +2.1 | +2.2 | +4.1 |
| Rajputana | -1.0 | -1.7 | +0.3 | -0.8 |
| Central India | +3.9 | +4.2 | +5.4 | +4.5 |
| Central Provinces | +2.5 | -0.1 | +4.2 | +2.2 |
| Bombay | +1.3 | -1.2 | +1.0 | +0.4 |
| Madras | +0.7 | -0.1 | +0.2 | +0.3 |

3rd.—The mean temperature conditions of the period varied to a comparatively small extent from the normal. The only important features were :—

(1st) A slight deficiency in Burma, due chiefly to low temperature in November.

(2nd) A slight excess in the Central India, Bihar, Chota Nagpur and the Deccan, due chiefly to increased temperature in December. Comparative data are given below :—

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | VARIATION FROM NORMAL OF MEAN DAILY TEMPERATURE IN | | | |
|-----------------------------|--|----------------|----------------|-----------------------------|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Period October to December. |
| | ° | ° | ° | ° |
| Burma | -0.2 | -1.0 | -0.3 | -0.5 |
| Assam | -0.3 | -0.6 | +0.2 | -0.2 |
| Bengal and Orissa | +0.5 | -0.7 | +0.8 | +0.2 |

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | VARIATION FROM NORMAL OF MEAN DAILY TEMPERATURE IN | | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|----------------|----------------|------------------------------|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Period, October to December. |
| Bihar and Chota Nagpur . | +0.7 | +0.2 | +1.5 | +0.8 |
| North-Western Provinces and Oudh. | -0.3 | +0.2 | +0.4 | +0.1 |
| Punjab | +0.6 | +0.5 | -1.2 | 0 |
| Rajputana | -0.2 | -0.4 | -1.6 | -0.7 |
| Central India | -0.3 | +0.9 | +2.5 | +1.0 |
| Central Provinces | +0.5 | -1.1 | +2.8 | +0.7 |
| Bombay | +0.3 | -0.9 | +1.1 | +0.2 |
| Madras | +0.5 | -0.7 | +0.6 | +0.1 |

The following table gives the variations of the mean temperature of Extra Tropical and Tropical India and also of the whole of India from the normal, month by month, during the year 1894:—

| MONTH. | VARIATION FROM NORMAL OF MEAN DAILY TEMPERATURE IN | | |
|----------------------|--|-----------------|--------------|
| | Extra Tropical India. | Tropical India. | Whole India. |
| January | -0.1 | +0.7 | +0.2 |
| February | +2.0 | +1.7 | +1.9 |
| March | -1.2 | +0.4 | -0.5 |
| April | +0.2 | -0.2 | 0 |
| May | +2.0 | +0.3 | +1.5 |
| June | -0.9 | -0.1 | -0.6 |
| July | -1.1 | +0.1 | -0.7 |
| August | -0.8 | +0.1 | -0.5 |
| September | -0.1 | -0.1 | -0.1 |
| October | +0.6 | +0.2 | +0.4 |
| November | -0.4 | -0.6 | -0.5 |
| December | -0.3 | +1.0 | +0.2 |
| Whole year | 0 | +0.3 | +0.1 |

The variations of the mean temperature conditions from the normal were hence generally small in amount, and in this respect the year 1894 contrasts strikingly with the previous year 1893.

The following table gives the progressive variation of the mean annual temperature of the past 20 years:—

| YEAR. | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. | 1879. | 1880. | 1881. | 1882. | 1883. | 1884. | 1885. | 1886. | 1887. | 1888. | 1889. | 1890. | 1891. | 1892. | 1893. | 1894. |
|------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Number of stations. | 72 | 72 | 74 | 74 | 70 | 106 | 110 | 113 | 122 | 122 | 118 | 122 | 126 | 127 | 81 | 85 | 72 | 74 | 68 | 66 |
| Mean anomaly. | -0.29 | -0.08 | +0.17 | +0.62 | -0.13 | +0.13 | -0.01 | -0.11 | -0.48 | -0.61 | -0.29 | +0.08 | -0.23 | +0.36 | +0.86 | +0.13 | -0.03 | +0.66 | -1.33 | +0.11 |
| Progressive variation. | ... | +0.21 | +0.25 | +0.45 | -0.75 | +0.26 | -0.14 | -0.10 | -0.37 | -0.13 | +0.32 | +0.37 | -0.31 | +0.59 | +0.50 | -0.73 | -0.16 | +0.69 | -1.99 | +1.44 |

The mean temperature of the whole Indian area was normal or in excess in six months and in defect during the remaining six months of the year. The excess was general and moderately large in two months, *viz.*, February and May. The excess was nearly as large in Tropical as in Extra Tropical India in February and averaged 1.9° for the whole of India. In May the excess was large in North-Eastern and Central India and small in the Peninsula. It averaged 2° in Extra Tropical India and 1/2° in Tropical India. Temperature was in slight general defect during the rains from June to September, the deficiency being a maximum in July when, however, it only averaged .7° for the whole of India. October was slightly warmer and November slightly cooler than usual. In December temperature was in slight excess in the Peninsula and in slight defect in North-Western India.

The mean temperature of the year of Extra Tropical India agreed exactly with the normal and of Tropical India was 0.3° in excess. The annual variations were small over the whole of India and exceeded 1/2° in only two out of the eighteen divisions of Table IV, *viz.*, the Punjab (6° in excess) and the North-West Himalaya (6° in defect).

The following gives a summary of the more important features of the temperature conditions of the year:—

(1) The mean temperature conditions of the year were very approximately normal over the whole of India.

(2) The cold weather period was warmer than usual, the excess being very small in January, and increasing slightly from north to south.

(3) The chief feature of the hot weather period was the excessive temperature in West Bengal, Bihar, Chota Nagpur and the eastern districts of the Central Provinces during the greater part of May, more especially the last fortnight of the month.

(4) Temperature was in slight to moderate general defect during the rains from June to September, the deficiency being greatest in July. The deficiency was chiefly exhibited in Northern and Central India.

(5) During the retreating south-west monsoon period temperature was in general slight excess in October and in slight defect in November. Temperature continued below the normal over North-Western India in December, but was again in excess in North-Eastern India and the Peninsula.

Atmospheric Pressure.

Full information is given in the annual reports formerly issued by the Department of the barometers in use at Indian observatories and of the methods of reducing the observations and obtaining the mean daily and monthly pressures (*e.g.*, pages 58 and 59 of the report for 1890).

In Table II of each monthly review, the monthly mean pressure (corrected for temperature) is given in the fifth figure column, and the variation from the normal in the sixth figure column for each station. The variation data are obtained by a comparison of the actual monthly means with the corresponding normal monthly means published in the last two annual reports (*i.e.*, Table XV, in the reports for 1889 and 1890).

The figures in the fifth and sixth columns of Table II of the present annual summary, giving the mean pressure of the air and its variation from the normal for all second class stations, are strictly comparable with the corresponding data of previous years published in the annual reports and summaries. In the seventh column of Table II in each monthly review, the mean pressures reduced to sea-level and corrected to constant gravity (Lat. 45°) are given. These, it should be noted, are not comparable with the sea-

level pressure values of previous years in the annual reports, as, previous to 1891, no correction was made to reduce the monthly pressure means to standard gravity. In Table I of each monthly review and also of the annual summary the pressure data are given for a fixed hour (*viz.*, 8 A.M.) of the day. The second figure column gives the mean 8 A.M. pressure for the month corrected for temperature. In the third figure column the variations of the mean 8 A.M. pressure from the normal mean 8 A.M. pressure are exhibited.

The following gives the normal mean monthly 8 A.M. pressure at 131 stations in India employed in determining the monthly variations of pressure from the normal given in Table I of the monthly reviews of the year 1894. These means have been determined from the 10 A.M. observations of the 11 years period 1878-88 (with corrections to reduce them to their 8 A.M. equivalents) and the 8 A.M. observations of the 5 years 1889-93. These means differ slightly from those given in the Annual Summary for 1891, and will be employed during the next five years for the comparison of 8 A.M. actual and normal monthly pressure data :—

TABLE VII.—Normal mean monthly 8 A.M. pressures of 131 stations in India and Burma.

| STATION, | Elevation in feet, | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December | YEAR. |
|------------------|-----------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|----------|--------|
| Moulmein . . | 94 | 29'952 | 29'922 | 29'888 | 29'837 | 29'768 | 29'727 | 29'730 | 29'756 | 29'782 | 29'846 | 29'891 | 29'942 | 29'837 |
| Toungoo . . | 181 | 29'851 | 29'812 | 29'763 | 29'709 | 29'645 | 29'594 | 29'594 | 29'618 | 29'659 | 29'744 | 29'797 | 29'855 | 29'720 |
| Rangoon . . | 41 | 30'002 | 29'968 | 29'931 | 29'876 | 29'814 | 29'760 | 29'760 | 29'788 | 29'820 | 29'893 | 29'940 | 29'996 | 29'879 |
| Bassein . . | 27 | 30'015 | 29'975 | 29'935 | 29'874 | 29'813 | 29'758 | 29'757 | 29'790 | 29'823 | 29'900 | 29'950 | 30'009 | 29'883 |
| Diamond Island . | 41 | 29'993 | 29'970 | 29'934 | 29'877 | 29'802 | 29'746 | 29'751 | 29'779 | 29'808 | 29'878 | 29'927 | 29'980 | 29'870 |
| Akyab . . | 20 | 30'041 | 30'004 | 29'956 | 29'880 | 29'796 | 29'701 | 29'693 | 29'740 | 29'798 | 29'897 | 29'962 | 30'029 | 29'875 |
| Thayetmyo . . | 134 | 29'925 | 29'860 | 29'810 | 29'741 | 29'684 | 29'611 | 29'613 | 29'649 | 29'691 | 29'792 | 29'861 | 29'924 | 29'763 |
| Silchar . . | 104 | 29'983 | 29'937 | 29'864 | 29'779 | 29'705 | 29'585 | 29'567 | 29'616 | 29'694 | 29'813 | 29'906 | 29'975 | 29'785 |
| Sibsagar . . | 333 | 29'772 | 29'710 | 29'636 | 29'552 | 29'480 | 29'356 | 29'341 | 29'384 | 29'476 | 29'618 | 29'720 | 29'780 | 29'569 |
| Dhubri . . | 115 | 29'973 | 29'902 | 29'809 | 29'713 | 29'665 | 29'529 | 29'507 | 29'568 | 29'672 | 29'815 | 29'919 | 29'985 | 29'755 |
| Chittagong . . | 87 | 29'983 | 29'939 | 29'877 | 29'795 | 29'708 | 29'598 | 29'582 | 29'639 | 29'714 | 29'829 | 29'907 | 29'976 | 29'796 |
| Noakhali . . | 43 | 30'043 | 29'983 | 29'908 | 29'814 | 29'731 | 29'629 | 29'616 | 29'656 | 29'748 | 29'863 | 29'958 | 30'024 | 29'831 |
| Comilla . . | 36 | 30'042 | 29'987 | 29'914 | 29'822 | 29'744 | 29'623 | 29'614 | 29'667 | 29'754 | 29'871 | 29'963 | 30'034 | 29'836 |
| Sirajganj . . | 49 | 30'026 | 29'965 | 29'874 | 29'772 | 29'706 | 29'580 | 29'572 | 29'629 | 29'722 | 29'862 | 29'964 | 30'026 | 29'808 |
| Narayanganj . . | 26 | 30'056 | 30'002 | 29'917 | 29'818 | 29'744 | 29'619 | 29'602 | 29'654 | 29'745 | 29'880 | 29'975 | 30'040 | 29'838 |
| Barisal . . | 13 | 30'063 | 30'013 | 29'932 | 29'833 | 29'749 | 29'627 | 29'602 | 29'659 | 29'758 | 29'886 | 29'986 | 30'052 | 29'847 |
| Mymensingh . . | 59 | 30'021 | 29'966 | 29'878 | 29'786 | 29'724 | 29'591 | 29'579 | 29'632 | 29'721 | 29'851 | 29'951 | 30'014 | 29'810 |

TABLE VII.—*Normal mean monthly 8 A.M. pressures of 131 stations in India and Burma—contd.*

| STATION. | Elevation in feet. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|-------------------|-----------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|--------|
| Faridpur . . | 46 | 30'042 | 29'990 | 29'903 | 29'801 | 29'725 | 29'601 | 29'593 | 29'647 | 29'740 | 29'877 | 29'970 | 30'035 | 29'827 |
| Jessore . . | 33 | 30'047 | 29'993 | 29'899 | 29'796 | 29'718 | 29'591 | 29'576 | 29'631 | 29'735 | 29'880 | 29'981 | 30'047 | 29'825 |
| Calcutta . . | 21 | 30'070 | 30'011 | 29'911 | 29'801 | 29'717 | 29'584 | 29'571 | 29'629 | 29'731 | 29'890 | 30'002 | 30'071 | 29'832 |
| Saugor Island . . | 25 | 30'058 | 30'000 | 29'907 | 29'804 | 29'717 | 29'582 | 29'565 | 29'629 | 29'724 | 29'882 | 29'993 | 30'066 | 29'827 |
| Krishnagar . . | 47 | 30'033 | 29'976 | 29'877 | 29'764 | 29'686 | 29'554 | 29'538 | 29'601 | 29'705 | 29'858 | 29'972 | 30'040 | 29'800 |
| Midnapore . . | 149 | 29'946 | 29'886 | 29'787 | 29'672 | 29'583 | 29'458 | 29'445 | 29'507 | 29'607 | 29'767 | 29'882 | 29'949 | 29'707 |
| Bankura . . | 298 | 29'767 | 29'701 | 29'606 | 29'487 | 29'406 | 29'283 | 29'272 | 29'332 | 29'432 | 29'593 | 29'707 | 29'771 | 29'530 |
| Raniganj . . | 334 | 29'757 | 29'682 | 29'593 | 29'478 | 29'407 | 29'264 | 29'252 | 29'316 | 29'417 | 29'584 | 29'700 | 29'760 | 29'518 |
| Burdwan . . | 99 | 29'991 | 29'928 | 29'826 | 29'713 | 29'635 | 29'499 | 29'490 | 29'554 | 29'659 | 29'815 | 29'930 | 29'997 | 29'753 |
| Naya Dumka . . | 489 | 29'571 | 29'511 | 29'409 | 29'296 | 29'220 | 29'091 | 29'084 | 29'145 | 29'246 | 29'406 | 29'519 | 29'578 | 29'340 |
| Berhampore . . | 67 | 30'023 | 29'960 | 29'852 | 29'742 | 29'668 | 29'541 | 29'529 | 29'589 | 29'691 | 29'851 | 29'964 | 30'029 | 29'787 |
| Rampur Boalia . . | 70 | 30'010 | 29'947 | 29'846 | 29'736 | 29'668 | 29'534 | 29'523 | 29'583 | 29'688 | 29'834 | 29'947 | 30'008 | 29'777 |
| Malda . . | 72 | 30'018 | 29'950 | 29'836 | 29'727 | 29'657 | 29'524 | 29'509 | 29'573 | 29'672 | 29'832 | 29'959 | 30'025 | 29'774 |
| Bogra . . | 61 | 30'002 | 29'941 | 29'844 | 29'742 | 29'679 | 29'551 | 29'536 | 29'597 | 29'695 | 29'834 | 29'936 | 30'000 | 29'780 |
| Dinajpur . . | 123 | 29'952 | 29'886 | 29'785 | 29'691 | 29'623 | 29'504 | 29'484 | 29'544 | 29'640 | 29'788 | 29'898 | 29'958 | 29'730 |
| Rangpur . . | 123 | 29'957 | 29'896 | 29'801 | 29'706 | 29'651 | 29'519 | 29'502 | 29'560 | 29'654 | 29'799 | 29'904 | 29'965 | 29'743 |
| Jalpaiguri . . | 284 | 29'784 | 29'721 | 29'631 | 29'544 | 29'492 | 29'363 | 29'334 | 29'397 | 29'487 | 29'633 | 29'746 | 29'796 | 29'577 |
| Balasore . . | 56 | 30'041 | 29'973 | 29'878 | 29'766 | 29'673 | 29'546 | 29'527 | 29'592 | 29'685 | 29'853 | 29'972 | 30'042 | 29'796 |
| False Point . . | 21 | 30'066 | 30'004 | 29'921 | 29'821 | 29'720 | 29'597 | 29'589 | 29'639 | 29'723 | 29'886 | 29'996 | 30'069 | 29'836 |
| Cuttack . . | 80 | 30'006 | 29'946 | 29'856 | 29'754 | 29'655 | 29'532 | 29'521 | 29'579 | 29'660 | 29'828 | 29'940 | 30'013 | 29'774 |
| Hazaribagh . . | 2,007 | 28'013 | 27'968 | 27'901 | 27'810 | 27'723 | 27'610 | 27'598 | 27'649 | 27'745 | 27'897 | 27'987 | 28'026 | 27'827 |
| Ranchi . . | 2,128 | 27'889 | 27'838 | 27'779 | 27'694 | 27'608 | 27'490 | 27'472 | 27'527 | 27'621 | 27'771 | 27'856 | 27'893 | 27'703 |
| Chaibassa . . | 760 | 29'299 | 29'240 | 29'149 | 29'037 | 28'940 | 28'821 | 28'814 | 28'869 | 28'966 | 29'130 | 29'239 | 29'301 | 29'067 |
| Gaya . . | 375 | 29'706 | 29'647 | 29'544 | 29'416 | 29'320 | 29'201 | 29'200 | 29'254 | 29'358 | 29'533 | 29'658 | 29'719 | 29'463 |
| Dehri . . | 351 | 29'732 | 29'674 | 29'566 | 29'434 | 29'340 | 29'219 | 29'216 | 29'275 | 29'384 | 29'562 | 29'692 | 29'746 | 29'488 |
| Patna . . | 183 | 29'911 | 29'851 | 29'736 | 29'608 | 29'525 | 29'404 | 29'397 | 29'453 | 29'560 | 29'733 | 29'863 | 29'940 | 29'665 |
| Arrah . . | 190 | 29'887 | 29'824 | 29'714 | 29'590 | 29'505 | 29'376 | 29'369 | 29'431 | 29'538 | 29'716 | 29'842 | 29'904 | 29'641 |
| Buxar . . | 239 | 29'849 | 29'793 | 29'681 | 29'546 | 29'455 | 29'332 | 29'325 | 29'389 | 29'497 | 29'673 | 29'805 | 29'867 | 29'601 |
| Purnea . . | 125 | 29'954 | 29'887 | 29'782 | 29'674 | 29'612 | 29'481 | 29'467 | 29'523 | 29'628 | 29'786 | 29'901 | 29'962 | 29'721 |
| Bhagalpur . . | 160 | 29'907 | 29'849 | 29'742 | 29'623 | 29'551 | 29'421 | 29'401 | 29'473 | 29'580 | 29'744 | 29'867 | 29'931 | 29'675 |
| Darbhanga . . | 166 | 29'914 | 29'848 | 29'745 | 29'627 | 29'561 | 29'433 | 29'419 | 29'482 | 29'585 | 29'752 | 29'870 | 29'933 | 29'681 |
| Motihari . . | 224 | 29'837 | 29'772 | 29'661 | 29'553 | 29'486 | 29'359 | 29'347 | 29'409 | 29'513 | 29'673 | 29'793 | 29'857 | 29'605 |
| Chupra . . | 181 | 29'899 | 29'834 | 29'719 | 29'594 | 29'512 | 29'391 | 29'380 | 29'442 | 29'545 | 29'716 | 29'845 | 29'910 | 29'649 |
| Benares . . | 267 | 29'812 | 29'752 | 29'646 | 29'514 | 29'419 | 29'296 | 29'287 | 29'351 | 29'458 | 29'638 | 29'770 | 29'832 | 29'565 |
| Allahabad . . | 309 | 29'772 | 29'713 | 29'610 | 29'478 | 29'377 | 29'255 | 29'245 | 29'310 | 29'419 | 29'598 | 29'730 | 29'792 | 29'525 |
| Gorakhpur . . | 256 | 29'812 | 29'744 | 29'638 | 29'513 | 29'440 | 29'314 | 29'305 | 29'365 | 29'473 | 29'643 | 29'769 | 29'830 | 29'570 |
| Lucknow . . | 368 | 29'707 | 29'646 | 29'536 | 29'408 | 29'314 | 29'193 | 29'184 | 29'248 | 29'358 | 29'533 | 29'665 | 29'720 | 29'459 |

TABLE VII.—Normal mean monthly 8 A.M. pressures of 131 stations in India and Burma—contd. *

| STATION. | Elevation in feet. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|-----------------|-----------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|--------|
| Bareilly . . | 568 | 29'481 | 29'416 | 29'316 | 29'193 | 29'105 | 28'958 | 28'979 | 29'037 | 29'147 | 29'323 | 29'443 | 29'498 | 29'244 |
| Dehra Dun . . | 2,233 | 27'768 | 27'725 | 27'669 | 27'579 | 27'507 | 27'402 | 27'384 | 27'434 | 27'533 | 27'687 | 27'775 | 27'799 | 27'605 |
| Roorkee . . | 887 | 29'144 | 29'088 | 28'998 | 28'881 | 28'791 | 28'674 | 28'672 | 28'728 | 28'839 | 29'009 | 29'121 | 29'165 | 28'926 |
| Meerut . . | 738 | 29'307 | 29'251 | 29'151 | 29'029 | 28'931 | 28'816 | 28'805 | 28'867 | 28'980 | 29'154 | 29'272 | 29'325 | 29'074 |
| Delhi . . | 718 | 29'336 | 29'282 | 29'184 | 29'059 | 28'952 | 28'834 | 28'823 | 28'885 | 29'005 | 29'176 | 29'298 | 29'356 | 29'099 |
| Lahore . . | 702 | 29'350 | 29'302 | 29'200 | 29'068 | 28'945 | 28'820 | 28'811 | 28'879 | 29'005 | 29'184 | 29'316 | 29'373 | 29'104 |
| Ludhiana . . | 812 | 29'229 | 29'173 | 29'080 | 28'958 | 28'853 | 28'729 | 29'724 | 28'787 | 28'911 | 29'081 | 29'196 | 29'248 | 28'997 |
| Sialkot . . | 830 | 29'200 | 29'151 | 29'060 | 28'934 | 28'823 | 28'698 | 28'690 | 28'757 | 28'875 | 29'051 | 29'171 | 29'220 | 28'969 |
| Rawalpindi . . | 1,652 | 28'362 | 28'323 | 28'249 | 28'147 | 28'041 | 27'918 | 27'892 | 27'956 | 28'092 | 28'266 | 28'365 | 28'409 | 28'168 |
| Peshawar . . | 1,110 | 28'974 | 28'937 | 28'849 | 28'728 | 28'597 | 28'443 | 28'415 | 28'481 | 28'631 | 28'822 | 28'943 | 28'996 | 28'735 |
| D. I. Khan . . | 573 | 29'509 | 29'469 | 29'366 | 29'233 | 29'095 | 28'940 | 28'919 | 28'986 | 29'123 | 29'322 | 29'465 | 29'530 | 29'246 |
| Mooltan . . | 420 | 29'681 | 29'633 | 29'517 | 29'380 | 29'235 | 29'085 | 29'064 | 29'140 | 29'279 | 29'476 | 29'630 | 29'699 | 29'402 |
| Sirsa . . | 662 | 29'396 | 29'345 | 29'243 | 29'114 | 28'994 | 28'877 | 28'858 | 28'926 | 29'051 | 29'228 | 29'355 | 29'415 | 29'150 |
| Jacobabad . . | 186 | 29'910 | 29'865 | 29'735 | 29'604 | 29'463 | 29'318 | 29'285 | 29'361 | 29'507 | 29'704 | 29'861 | 29'930 | 29'629 |
| Hyderabad . . | 117 | 29'985 | 29'945 | 29'823 | 29'703 | 29'563 | 29'424 | 29'386 | 29'459 | 29'593 | 29'775 | 29'920 | 30'002 | 29'715 |
| Kurrachee . . | 49 | 30'054 | 30'016 | 29'918 | 29'805 | 29'685 | 29'548 | 29'510 | 29'589 | 29'724 | 29'882 | 30'004 | 30'071 | 29'817 |
| Bhuj . . | 395 | 29'679 | 29'636 | 29'557 | 29'455 | 29'355 | 29'236 | 29'195 | 29'266 | 29'392 | 29'531 | 29'628 | 29'684 | 29'468 |
| Jeyapore . . | 1,431 | 28'618 | 28'577 | 28'495 | 28'395 | 28'291 | 28'182 | 28'149 | 28'213 | 28'340 | 28'502 | 28'600 | 28'645 | 28'417 |
| Sambhar . . | 1,254 | 28'785 | 28'741 | 28'658 | 28'555 | 28'449 | 28'339 | 29'305 | 28'371 | 28'495 | 28'663 | 28'769 | 28'821 | 28'579 |
| Ajmere . . | 1,611 | 28'441 | 28'399 | 28'328 | 28'230 | 28'123 | 28'018 | 27'981 | 28'044 | 28'160 | 28'326 | 28'425 | 28'471 | 28'246 |
| Deesa . . | 466 | 29'598 | 29'562 | 29'482 | 29'391 | 29'290 | 29'177 | 29'132 | 29'209 | 29'324 | 29'463 | 29'560 | 29'614 | 29'400 |
| Rajkot . . | 429 | 29'628 | 29'601 | 29'532 | 29'448 | 29'346 | 29'233 | 29'196 | 29'270 | 29'378 | 29'506 | 29'586 | 29'637 | 29'447 |
| Nowgong . . | 757 | 29'319 | 29'266 | 29'169 | 29'053 | 28'938 | 28'833 | 28'815 | 28'876 | 28'985 | 29'161 | 29'284 | 29'339 | 29'086 |
| Indore . . | 1,823 | 28'200 | 28'168 | 28'112 | 28'033 | 27'949 | 27'851 | 27'818 | 27'879 | 27'967 | 28'109 | 28'187 | 28'224 | 28'041 |
| Neemuch . . | 1,630 | 28'397 | 28'361 | 28'294 | 28'212 | 28'111 | 28'010 | 27'974 | 28'040 | 28'145 | 28'299 | 28'392 | 28'431 | 28'222 |
| Surat . . | 36 | 30'027 | 29'999 | 29'939 | 29'861 | 29'787 | 29'671 | 29'638 | 29'701 | 29'799 | 29'902 | 29'975 | 30'029 | 29'856 |
| Agra . . | 555 | 29'531 | 29'476 | 29'372 | 29'250 | 29'137 | 29'020 | 29'005 | 29'070 | 29'189 | 29'369 | 29'498 | 29'554 | 29'289 |
| Jhansi . . | 858 | 29'213 | 29'168 | 29'078 | 28'961 | 28'850 | 28'738 | 28'714 | 28'774 | 28'889 | 29'053 | 29'174 | 29'226 | 28'987 |
| Belgaum . . | 2,524 | 27'484 | 27'466 | 27'431 | 27'375 | 27'328 | 27'267 | 27'264 | 27'298 | 27'347 | 27'397 | 27'440 | 27'484 | 27'382 |
| Sholapur . . | 1,590 | 28'446 | 28'411 | 28'350 | 28'280 | 28'223 | 28'167 | 28'158 | 28'195 | 28'254 | 28'334 | 28'396 | 28'448 | 28'305 |
| Poona . . | 1,840 | 28'193 | 28'164 | 28'120 | 28'059 | 28'001 | 27'912 | 27'896 | 27'944 | 28'015 | 28'100 | 28'159 | 28'207 | 28'064 |
| Malegaon . . | 1,430 | 28'608 | 28'572 | 28'518 | 28'441 | 28'369 | 28'281 | 28'252 | 28'306 | 28'388 | 28'505 | 28'580 | 28'623 | 28'454 |
| Akola . . | 930 | 29'113 | 29'066 | 28'996 | 28'907 | 28'830 | 28'749 | 28'734 | 28'785 | 28'858 | 28'993 | 29'082 | 29'135 | 28'937 |
| Amraoti . . | 1,215 | 28'820 | 28'772 | 28'706 | 28'617 | 28'533 | 28'453 | 28'438 | 28'485 | 28'559 | 28'702 | 28'792 | 28'844 | 28'643 |
| Khandwa . . | 1,044 | 28'998 | 28'958 | 28'891 | 28'804 | 28'714 | 28'626 | 28'600 | 28'655 | 28'736 | 28'873 | 28'962 | 29'012 | 28'819 |
| Hoshangabad . . | 1,020 | 29'039 | 28'999 | 28'922 | 28'829 | 28'734 | 28'635 | 28'610 | 28'667 | 28'752 | 28'913 | 29'017 | 29'069 | 28'849 |
| Nagpur . . | 1,025 | 29'022 | 28'975 | 28'899 | 28'803 | 28'701 | 28'620 | 28'608 | 28'658 | 28'734 | 28'885 | 28'984 | 29'040 | 28'827 |

TABLE VII.—*Normal mean monthly 8 A.M. pressures of 131 stations in India and Burma—contd.*

| STATION. | Elevation in feet. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|----------------------|-----------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|--------|
| Chanda . . . | 634 | 29'423 | 29'370 | 29'289 | 29'191 | 29'092 | 29'024 | 29'022 | 29'071 | 29'141 | 29'280 | 29'378 | 29'439 | 29'227 |
| Seoni . . . | 2,033 | 27'998 | 27'960 | 27'901 | 27'816 | 27'724 | 27'628 | 27'608 | 27'654 | 27'735 | 27'889 | 27'970 | 28'013 | 27'825 |
| Jubbulpore . . . | 1,327 | 28'720 | 28'673 | 28'601 | 28'501 | 28'398 | 28'294 | 28'273 | 28'328 | 28'424 | 28'590 | 28'694 | 28'741 | 28'520 |
| Saugor . . . | 1,762 | 28'263 | 28'218 | 28'151 | 28'073 | 27'970 | 27'864 | 27'836 | 27'891 | 28'001 | 28'159 | 28'248 | 28'288 | 28'080 |
| Raipur . . . | 970 | 29'079 | 29'028 | 28'947 | 28'849 | 28'750 | 28'652 | 28'639 | 28'689 | 28'773 | 28'940 | 29'042 | 29'099 | 28'874 |
| Sutna . . . | 1,040 | 29'014 | 28'963 | 28'879 | 28'760 | 28'652 | 28'537 | 28'522 | 28'587 | 28'692 | 28'868 | 28'985 | 29'038 | 28'791 |
| Sambalpur . . . | 463 | 29'586 | 29'538 | 29'444 | 29'338 | 29'244 | 29'129 | 29'118 | 29'187 | 29'277 | 29'430 | 29'551 | 29'607 | 29'371 |
| Hyderabad (Deccan) . | 1,690 | 28'353 | 28'329 | 28'267 | 28'203 | 28'112 | 28'042 | 28'028 | 28'068 | 28'116 | 28'219 | 28'289 | 28'345 | 28'197 |
| Bombay . . . | 37 | 30'000 | 29'985 | 29'936 | 29'867 | 29'813 | 29'712 | 29'701 | 29'752 | 29'830 | 29'895 | 29'953 | 30'004 | 29'871 |
| Ratnagiri . . . | 110 | 29'905 | 29'881 | 29'844 | 29'776 | 29'728 | 29'661 | 29'662 | 29'701 | 29'756 | 29'794 | 29'843 | 29'897 | 29'787 |
| Goa . . . | 23 | 30'022 | 29'993 | 29'948 | 29'893 | 29'840 | 29'788 | 29'802 | 29'833 | 29'890 | 29'914 | 29'955 | 30'007 | 29'907 |
| Karwar . . . | 44 | 29'977 | 29'957 | 29'918 | 29'856 | 29'811 | 29'770 | 29'785 | 29'812 | 29'858 | 29'880 | 29'913 | 29'964 | 29'875 |
| Cochin . . . | 10 | 29'996 | 29'987 | 29'958 | 29'903 | 29'868 | 29'877 | 29'898 | 29'906 | 29'936 | 29'934 | 29'944 | 29'975 | 29'932 |
| Calicut . . . | 27 | 29'994 | 29'978 | 29'944 | 29'884 | 29'846 | 29'843 | 29'869 | 29'878 | 29'912 | 29'916 | 29'928 | 29'972 | 29'914 |
| Mangalore . . . | 65 | 29'958 | 29'942 | 29'906 | 29'842 | 29'806 | 29'787 | 29'813 | 29'830 | 29'868 | 29'878 | 29'893 | 29'943 | 29'872 |
| Madura . . . | 447 | 29'581 | 29'570 | 29'526 | 29'449 | 29'387 | 29'364 | 29'381 | 29'396 | 29'429 | 29'464 | 29'502 | 29'550 | 29'467 |
| Salem . . . | 940 | 29'127 | 29'111 | 29'061 | 28'988 | 28'926 | 28'903 | 28'916 | 28'934 | 28'973 | 29'003 | 29'039 | 29'098 | 29'007 |
| Coimbatore . . . | 1,348 | 28'682 | 28'668 | 28'628 | 28'556 | 28'500 | 28'479 | 28'492 | 28'509 | 28'544 | 28'573 | 28'608 | 28'659 | 28'575 |
| Mercara . . . | 3,781 | 26'310 | 26'289 | 26'269 | 26'227 | 26'187 | 26'158 | 26'170 | 26'179 | 26'212 | 26'232 | 26'251 | 26'284 | 26'231 |
| Bangalore Fort . . . | 3,021 | 27'039 | 27'026 | 26'995 | 26'943 | 26'888 | 26'859 | 26'863 | 26'881 | 26'918 | 26'956 | 26'985 | 27'030 | 26'949 |
| Negapatam . . . | 31 | 30'005 | 29'992 | 29'944 | 29'870 | 29'796 | 29'770 | 29'787 | 29'805 | 29'847 | 29'882 | 29'922 | 29'977 | 29'883 |
| Trichinopoly . . . | 255 | 29'791 | 29'776 | 29'727 | 29'647 | 29'580 | 29'555 | 29'573 | 29'590 | 29'625 | 29'663 | 29'706 | 29'765 | 29'667 |
| Madras . . . | 22 | 30'049 | 30'020 | 29'961 | 29'880 | 29'789 | 29'750 | 29'768 | 29'792 | 29'832 | 29'892 | 29'950 | 30'022 | 29'892 |
| Masulipatam . . . | 15 | 30'053 | 30'012 | 29'955 | 29'864 | 29'756 | 29'686 | 29'702 | 29'739 | 29'781 | 29'884 | 29'970 | 30'040 | 29'870 |
| Kurnool . . . | 923 | 29'123 | 29'082 | 29'015 | 28'946 | 28'889 | 28'842 | 28'844 | 28'881 | 28'927 | 28'993 | 29'073 | 29'138 | 28'979 |
| Bellary . . . | 1,475 | 28'557 | 28'516 | 28'464 | 28'399 | 28'345 | 28'303 | 28'309 | 28'337 | 28'385 | 28'443 | 28'502 | 28'556 | 28'426 |
| Rajahmundry . . . | 112 | 29'945 | 29'891 | 29'844 | 29'763 | 29'659 | 29'575 | 29'580 | 29'617 | 29'667 | 29'787 | 29'878 | 29'956 | 29'764 |
| Cocanada . . . | 26 | 30'039 | 29'996 | 29'932 | 29'846 | 29'738 | 29'648 | 29'652 | 29'689 | 29'743 | 29'863 | 29'955 | 30'033 | 29'844 |
| Vizagapatam . . . | 31 | 30'042 | 29'994 | 29'933 | 29'838 | 29'734 | 29'621 | 29'626 | 29'666 | 29'730 | 29'865 | 29'965 | 30'037 | 29'838 |
| Qhetta . . . | 5,502 | 24'681 | 24'661 | 24'649 | 24'621 | 24'577 | 24'477 | 24'425 | 24'475 | 24'593 | 24'723 | 24'764 | 24'741 | 24'599 |
| Murree . . . | 6,344 | 23'853 | 23'815 | 23'838 | 23'819 | 23'782 | 23'720 | 23'696 | 23'734 | 23'819 | 23'908 | 23'922 | 23'908 | 23'818 |
| Simla . . . | 7,224 | 23'122 | 23'079 | 23'110 | 23'102 | 23'071 | 23'007 | 22'972 | 23'015 | 22'097 | 23'180 | 23'183 | 23'168 | 23'092 |
| Chakrata . . . | 6,977 | 23'328 | 23'296 | 23'324 | 23'313 | 23'269 | 23'197 | 23'170 | 23'212 | 23'287 | 23'365 | 23'376 | 23'367 | 23'293 |
| Ranikhet . . . | 6,069 | 24'135 | 24'099 | 24'105 | 24'083 | 24'041 | 23'956 | 23'939 | 23'977 | 24'057 | 24'149 | 24'169 | 24'166 | 24'073 |
| Darjeeling . . . | 7,421 | 22'978 | 22'942 | 22'968 | 22'955 | 22'942 | 22'886 | 22'877 | 22'913 | 23'000 | 23'054 | 23'060 | 23'034 | 22'967 |
| Mount Abu . . . | 3,945 | 26'138 | 26'116 | 26'092 | 26'054 | 25'975 | 25'869 | 25'822 | 25'869 | 25'982 | 26'116 | 26'164 | 26'168 | 26'030 |

TABLE VII.—*Normal mean monthly 8 A.M. pressures of 131 stations in India and Burma—concl'd.*

| STATION. | Elevation in feet. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|------------------|-----------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|--------|
| Pachmarhi . . . | 3,518 | 26'560 | 26'529 | 26'497 | 26'443 | 26'360 | 26'251 | 26'219 | 26'274 | 26'353 | 26'493 | 26'549 | 26'579 | 26'426 |
| Wellington . . . | 6,200 | 24'309 | 24'313 | 24'310 | 24'278 | 24'236 | 24'193 | 24'196 | 24'204 | 24'228 | 24'262 | 24'275 | 24'302 | 24'259 |
| Colombo . . . | 40 | 29'952 | 29'954 | 29'933 | 29'885 | 29'854 | 29'864 | 29'879 | 29'886 | 29'916 | 29'915 | 29'925 | 29'933 | 29'908 |
| Aden . . . | 94 | 29'984 | 29'955 | 29'902 | 29'845 | 29'770 | 29'661 | 29'626 | 29'650 | 29'748 | 29'873 | 29'958 | 30'001 | 29'831 |

In the following table the normal mean 8 A.M. pressure reduced to sea-level and corrected to constant gravity

(Lat. 45°) is given for each month of the year for 121 stations in India and Burma.

TABLE VIII.—*Normal mean monthly 8 A.M. pressures (reduced to sea-level and constant gravity at Lat. 45°) of 121 stations in India and Burma.*

| STATION. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|----------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + |
| Moulmein . . . | '970 | '922 | '894 | '868 | '800 | '759 | '762 | '788 | '814 | '878 | '923 | '974 | '863 |
| Toungoo . . . | '983 | '941 | '889 | '832 | '769 | '718 | '718 | '742 | '783 | '868 | '924 | '986 | '846 |
| Rangoon . . . | '981 | '946 | '909 | '854 | '792 | '738 | '738 | '766 | '798 | '871 | '918 | '975 | '857 |
| Bassein . . . | '995 | '931 | '892 | '830 | '775 | '715 | '713 | '746 | '785 | '862 | '912 | '972 | '844 |
| Diamond Island . . . | '969 | '946 | '911 | '852 | '778 | '722 | '727 | '755 | '784 | '854 | '903 | '956 | '846 |
| Akyab . . . | 1'004 | '967 | '919 | '843 | '759 | '664 | '656 | '703 | '761 | '860 | '925 | '992 | '838 |
| Thayetmyo . . . | '991 | '935 | '878 | '809 | '760 | '687 | '689 | '725 | '766 | '868 | '940 | 1'004 | '838 |
| Silchar . . . | 1'045 | '997 | '923 | '836 | '761 | '639 | '621 | '671 | '750 | '869 | '965 | 1'037 | '843 |
| Sibsagar . . . | 1'085 | 1'017 | '937 | '847 | '771 | '643 | '627 | '671 | '765 | '910 | 1'022 | 1'090 | '865 |
| Dhubri . . . | 1'050 | '978 | '882 | '784 | '734 | '597 | '575 | '637 | '741 | '885 | '993 | 1'062 | '827 |
| Chittagong . . . | 1'023 | '976 | '913 | '830 | '741 | '632 | '617 | '674 | '748 | '864 | '943 | 1'014 | '831 |
| Noakhali . . . | 1'035 | '974 | '898 | '804 | '721 | '619 | '606 | '646 | '738 | '853 | '949 | 1'015 | '822 |
| Comilla . . . | 1'027 | '972 | '899 | '806 | '728 | '607 | '598 | '651 | '738 | '855 | '948 | 1'019 | '821 |
| Sirajganj . . . | 1'027 | '965 | '874 | '771 | '705 | '579 | '571 | '628 | '721 | '861 | '963 | 1'025 | '808 |
| Narayanganj . . . | 1'025 | '971 | '882 | '784 | '712 | '589 | '576 | '628 | '719 | '854 | '950 | 1'015 | '809 |
| Barisal . . . | 1'022 | '972 | '891 | '791 | '707 | '585 | '560 | '617 | '716 | '844 | '944 | 1'011 | '805 |
| Mymensingh . . . | 1'035 | '979 | '890 | '797 | '734 | '601 | '589 | '642 | '732 | '862 | '964 | 1'028 | '821 |
| Faridpur . . . | 1'038 | '986 | '898 | '795 | '719 | '595 | '587 | '641 | '734 | '871 | '964 | 1'029 | '821 |
| Jessore . . . | 1'028 | '974 | '880 | '776 | '697 | '571 | '556 | '611 | '715 | '860 | '962 | 1'028 | '805 |
| Calcutta . . . | 1'038 | '979 | '878 | '768 | '683 | '551 | '538 | '596 | '698 | '857 | '969 | 1'039 | '799 |

TABLE VIII.—Normal mean monthly 8 A.M. pressures (reduced to sea-level and constant gravity at Lat. 45°) of 121 stations in India and Burma—contd.

| STATION. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|-------------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + |
| Saugor Island | 1'028 | '970 | '876 | '773 | '686 | '551 | '534 | '598 | '693 | '851 | '963 | 1'037 | '797 |
| Krishnagar | 1'032 | '974 | '873 | '760 | '681 | '550 | '534 | '597 | '701 | '854 | '969 | 1'039 | '797 |
| Midnapore | 1'049 | '987 | '884 | '768 | '677 | '553 | '540 | '603 | '703 | '864 | '983 | 1'054 | '805 |
| Bankura | 1'034 | '964 | '860 | '735 | '649 | '529 | '520 | '580 | '681 | '845 | '969 | 1'040 | '784 |
| Raniganj | 1'062 | '981 | '884 | '762 | '686 | '544 | '533 | '598 | '701 | '871 | '998 | 1'064 | '807 |
| Burdwan | 1'043 | '978 | '874 | '759 | '680 | '544 | '535 | '599 | '705 | '862 | '980 | 1'048 | '800 |
| Naya Dumka | 1'052 | '983 | '867 | '741 | '659 | '533 | '527 | '591 | '694 | '859 | '989 | 1'057 | '792 |
| Berhampore | 1'041 | '979 | '868 | '758 | '683 | '556 | '544 | '604 | '707 | '867 | '981 | 1'047 | '803 |
| Rampur Boalia | 1'033 | '969 | '867 | '756 | '687 | '553 | '542 | '602 | '707 | '854 | '968 | 1'030 | '797 |
| Malda | 1'047 | '977 | '862 | '751 | '680 | '547 | '532 | '597 | '696 | '857 | '985 | 1'051 | '799 |
| Bogra | 1'019 | '957 | '859 | '756 | '692 | '564 | '547 | '610 | '709 | '848 | '951 | 1'016 | '794 |
| Dinajpur | 1'037 | '969 | '865 | '768 | '711 | '580 | '561 | '621 | '717 | '866 | '980 | 1'042 | '810 |
| Rangpur | 1'044 | '980 | '881 | '785 | '730 | '597 | '578 | '637 | '732 | '878 | '986 | 1'050 | '823 |
| Jalpaiguri | 1'041 | '977 | '882 | '789 | '734 | '603 | '574 | '638 | '731 | '879 | '999 | 1'054 | '825 |
| Balasore | 1'046 | '978 | '881 | '768 | '674 | '548 | '539 | '594 | '687 | '856 | '976 | 1'047 | '800 |
| False Point | 1'029 | '967 | '884 | '784 | '682 | '561 | '552 | '602 | '686 | '849 | '959 | 1'032 | '799 |
| Cuttack | 1'032 | '971 | '880 | '776 | '676 | '554 | '543 | '601 | '683 | '852 | '965 | 1'040 | '798 |
| Hazaribagh | 1'065 | 1'003 | '878 | '744 | '644 | '534 | '541 | '598 | '699 | '875 | 1'007 | 1'077 | '795 |
| Ranchi | 1'049 | '981 | '866 | '740 | '636 | '524 | '532 | '585 | '685 | '860 | '982 | 1'058 | '792 |
| Chaibassa | 1'049 | '978 | '869 | '743 | '621 | '523 | '521 | '579 | '676 | '845 | '976 | 1'054 | '786 |
| Gaya | 1'056 | '993 | '881 | '742 | '639 | '523 | '526 | '581 | '685 | '866 | 1'003 | 1'072 | '797 |
| Dehri | 1'059 | '996 | '878 | '737 | '635 | '519 | '519 | '579 | '687 | '872 | 1'010 | 1'072 | '797 |
| Patna | 1'058 | '995 | '875 | '743 | '658 | '537 | '531 | '587 | '695 | '870 | 1'005 | 1'086 | '803 |
| Arrah | 1'042 | '976 | '862 | '732 | '643 | '515 | '509 | '572 | '680 | '861 | '992 | 1'059 | '787 |
| Buxar | 1'059 | '999 | '882 | '741 | '645 | '524 | '518 | '582 | '690 | '871 | 1'009 | 1'076 | '800 |
| Purnea | 1'041 | '973 | '864 | '754 | '690 | '559 | '544 | '601 | '707 | '865 | '985 | 1'048 | '803 |
| Bhagalpur | 1'029 | '969 | '858 | '737 | '663 | '533 | '522 | '585 | '692 | '858 | '985 | 1'052 | '790 |
| Darbhanga | 1'045 | '976 | '870 | '748 | '679 | '551 | '536 | '601 | '705 | '874 | '996 | 1'062 | '804 |
| Motihari | 1'035 | '965 | '850 | '736 | '666 | '539 | '527 | '589 | '696 | '858 | '983 | 1'053 | '791 |
| Chapra | 1'046 | '978 | '859 | '728 | '644 | '523 | '513 | '576 | '679 | '860 | '987 | 1'056 | '787 |
| Benares | 1'053 | '990 | '878 | '738 | '636 | '515 | '508 | '573 | '680 | '865 | 1'006 | 1'073 | '793 |
| Allahabad | 1'057 | '993 | '882 | '741 | '634 | '514 | '507 | '573 | '683 | '867 | 1'008 | 1'076 | '795 |
| Gorakhpur | 1'047 | '972 | '860 | '729 | '652 | '526 | '514 | '582 | '688 | '861 | '995 | 1'062 | '791 |
| Lucknow | 1'061 | '998 | '878 | '737 | '636 | '517 | '509 | '576 | '686 | '868 | 1'012 | 1'074 | '796 |

TABLE VIII.—Normal mean monthly 8 A.M. pressures (reduced to sea-level and constant gravity at Lat. 45°) of 121 stations in India and Burma—contd.

| STATION. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|----------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + |
| Bareilly | 1'057 | '983 | '869 | '727 | '627 | '511 | '505 | '567 | '679 | '865 | 1'005 | 1'071 | '789 |
| Dehra Dun | 1'089 | 1'032 | '915 | '773 | '671 | '553 | '549 | '603 | '718 | '911 | 1'057 | 1'115 | '823 |
| Roorkee | 1'067 | '993 | '890 | '739 | '628 | '512 | '518 | '575 | '694 | '882 | 1'024 | 1'085 | '801 |
| Meerut | 1'068 | 1'001 | '881 | '733 | '618 | '505 | '500 | '564 | '682 | '875 | 1'018 | 1'084 | '794 |
| Delhi | 1'070 | 1'008 | '892 | '740 | '617 | '499 | '495 | '561 | '685 | '869 | 1'016 | 1'087 | '795 |
| Lahore | 1'080 | 1'023 | '902 | '744 | '602 | '474 | '471 | '537 | '673 | '873 | 1'031 | 1'103 | '793 |
| Ludhiana | 1'072 | 1'007 | '895 | '742 | '615 | '491 | '494 | '559 | '689 | '879 | 1'023 | 1'089 | '796 |
| Sialkot | 1'070 | 1'009 | '897 | '741 | '604 | '478 | '480 | '549 | '674 | '869 | 1'019 | 1'087 | '790 |
| Rawalpindi | 1'082 | 1'033 | '912 | '762 | '613 | '469 | '452 | '524 | '685 | '908 | 1'065 | 1'137 | '799 |
| Peshawar | 1'113 | 1'056 | '946 | '788 | '625 | '451 | '435 | '503 | '670 | '895 | 1'055 | 1'130 | '806 |
| D. I. Khan | 1'108 | 1'057 | '941 | '786 | '630 | '470 | '453 | '519 | '667 | '887 | 1'051 | 1'129 | '808 |
| Mooltan | 1'109 | 1'054 | '927 | '773 | '616 | '462 | '445 | '523 | '665 | '875 | 1'046 | 1'124 | '802 |
| Sirsa | 1'077 | 1'019 | '898 | '742 | '605 | '484 | '473 | '542 | '676 | '869 | 1'021 | 1'094 | '792 |
| Jacobabad | 1'074 | 1'025 | '889 | '752 | '605 | '460 | '428 | '506 | '653 | '856 | 1'017 | 1'094 | '780 |
| Hyderabad | 1'065 | 1'023 | '896 | '774 | '633 | '491 | '454 | '528 | '662 | '834 | '995 | 1'079 | '786 |
| Kurrachee | 1'057 | 1'019 | '919 | '803 | '686 | '547 | '510 | '589 | '724 | '884 | 1'006 | 1'075 | '818 |
| Bhuj | 1'049 | 1'001 | '915 | '806 | '724 | '578 | '541 | '614 | '740 | '881 | '988 | 1'053 | '824 |
| Jeypore | 1'100 | 1'049 | '919 | '781 | '656 | '546 | '528 | '601 | '732 | '914 | 1'058 | 1'125 | '828 |
| Sambhar | 1'085 | 1'033 | '908 | '767 | '647 | '532 | '509 | '583 | '710 | '901 | 1'047 | 1'119 | '815 |
| Ajmere | 1'125 | 1'069 | '942 | '800 | '678 | '564 | '542 | '614 | '737 | '931 | 1'089 | 1'147 | '844 |
| Deesa | 1'048 | 1'005 | '913 | '811 | '709 | '593 | '554 | '633 | '747 | '892 | 1'001 | 1'062 | '831 |
| Rajkot | 1'032 | 1'001 | '923 | '830 | '725 | '610 | '578 | '653 | '762 | '891 | '980 | 1'038 | '835 |
| Nowgong | 1'081 | 1'016 | '902 | '762 | '629 | '530 | '524 | '587 | '696 | '885 | 1'035 | 1'099 | '812 |
| Indore | 1'061 | 1'012 | '913 | '785 | '697 | '606 | '587 | '657 | '751 | '905 | 1'018 | 1'081 | '839 |
| Neemuch | 1'077 | 1'024 | '908 | '785 | '676 | '574 | '553 | '628 | '738 | '905 | 1'033 | 1'093 | '833 |
| Surat | 1'008 | '980 | '919 | '841 | '765 | '650 | '617 | '680 | '779 | '881 | '956 | 1'010 | '841 |
| Agra | 1'086 | 1'024 | '904 | '763 | '637 | '520 | '514 | '581 | '702 | '895 | 1'041 | 1'108 | '815 |
| Jhansi | 1'077 | 1'022 | '907 | '764 | '636 | '532 | '522 | '584 | '699 | '877 | 1'022 | 1'087 | '805 |
| Belgaum | '986 | '955 | '892 | '818 | '768 | '718 | '726 | '764 | '817 | '865 | '928 | '987 | '852 |
| Sholapur | 1'030 | '979 | '901 | '802 | '748 | '697 | '691 | '739 | '800 | '886 | '962 | 1'032 | '856 |
| Poona | 1'046 | 1'003 | '925 | '836 | '778 | '685 | '685 | '736 | '812 | '903 | '988 | 1'060 | '871 |
| Malegaon | 1'054 | 1'003 | '912 | '810 | '733 | '650 | '630 | '691 | '777 | '905 | 1'003 | 1'070 | '853 |
| Akola | 1'029 | '969 | '882 | '772 | '688 | '615 | '609 | '659 | '739 | '878 | 1'000 | 1'053 | '824 |
| Amraoti | 1'036 | '977 | '892 | '778 | '680 | '613 | '611 | '660 | '738 | '891 | 1'000 | 1'069 | '829 |

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| STATION. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|------------------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + | 29 + |
| Khandwa | 1'044 | '990 | '906 | '793 | '699 | '619 | '600 | '658 | '742 | '888 | 1'006 | 1'057 | '834 |
| Hoshangabad | 1'076 | 1'012 | '918 | '800 | '689 | '602 | '587 | '647 | '733 | '906 | 1'041 | 1'099 | '843 |
| Nagpur | 1'036 | '975 | '882 | '767 | '649 | '584 | '584 | '635 | '713 | '873 | 1'000 | 1'063 | '814 |
| Chanda | 1'033 | '971 | '877 | '765 | '653 | '596 | '601 | '650 | '723 | '866 | '985 | 1'051 | '814 |
| Seoni | 1'056 | 1'001 | '899 | '764 | '642 | '568 | '575 | '624 | '709 | '888 | 1'008 | 1'082 | '818 |
| Jubbulpore | 1'078 | 1'017 | '910 | '776 | '651 | '558 | '553 | '611 | '710 | '896 | 1'039 | 1'102 | '825 |
| Saugor | 1'069 | 1'010 | '893 | '769 | '648 | '551 | '547 | '606 | '723 | '899 | 1'030 | 1'095 | '820 |
| Raipur | 1'038 | '973 | '874 | '754 | '636 | '557 | '556 | '610 | '689 | '867 | '996 | 1'062 | '801 |
| Sutna | 1'071 | 1'007 | '900 | '750 | '620 | '518 | '515 | '582 | '687 | '882 | '928 | 1'094 | '780 |
| Sambalpur | 1'021 | '965 | '861 | '745 | '642 | '532 | '529 | '597 | '686 | '845 | '979 | 1'042 | '787 |
| Hyderabad (Deccan) | 1'047 | 1'004 | '915 | '826 | '725 | '667 | '668 | '710 | '751 | '870 | '965 | 1'038 | '849 |
| Bombay | '978 | '963 | '914 | '844 | '791 | '691 | '679 | '729 | '807 | '872 | '930 | '982 | '848 |
| Ratnagiri | '956 | '931 | '894 | '826 | '777 | '704 | '711 | '749 | '805 | '843 | '892 | '947 | '836 |
| Goa | '959 | '930 | '885 | '830 | '777 | '725 | '738 | '770 | '828 | '851 | '892 | '944 | '844 |
| Karwar | '954 | '934 | '894 | '832 | '788 | '746 | '761 | '787 | '834 | '855 | '890 | '941 | '851 |
| Cochin | '934 | '925 | '895 | '840 | '806 | '815 | '836 | '844 | '874 | '873 | '882 | '913 | '870 |
| Calicut | '961 | '945 | '912 | '850 | '803 | '799 | '826 | '835 | '870 | '873 | '885 | '928 | '874 |
| Mangalore | '956 | '940 | '904 | '840 | '802 | '785 | '810 | '828 | '866 | '875 | '890 | '941 | '870 |
| Madura | '974 | '960 | '910 | '830 | '766 | '742 | '761 | '777 | '810 | '849 | '892 | '941 | '851 |
| Salem | 1'026 | 1'005 | '942 | '860 | '797 | '775 | '794 | '813 | '853 | '883 | '930 | '993 | '889 |
| Coimbatore | 1'004 | '983 | '931 | '847 | '789 | '772 | '790 | '809 | '845 | '878 | '919 | '976 | '879 |
| Bangalore Fort | '984 | '995 | '934 | '850 | '801 | '785 | '803 | '820 | '862 | '905 | '955 | 1'025 | '893 |
| Negapatam | '966 | '953 | '904 | '830 | '755 | '728 | '746 | '766 | '806 | '841 | '882 | '938 | '843 |
| Prichinopoly | '986 | '969 | '916 | '833 | '766 | '741 | '759 | '778 | '813 | '851 | '898 | '958 | '816 |
| Madras | 1'002 | '972 | '914 | '832 | '742 | '702 | '721 | '745 | '786 | '844 | '903 | '975 | '845 |
| Masulipatam | 1'003 | '962 | '906 | '814 | '705 | '636 | '652 | '689 | '731 | '834 | '920 | '990 | '820 |
| Kurnool | 1'021 | '967 | '877 | '800 | '740 | '698 | '707 | '748 | '795 | '862 | '960 | 1'027 | '850 |
| Bellary | 1'017 | '961 | '883 | '806 | '754 | '716 | '727 | '759 | '811 | '875 | '948 | 1'015 | '856 |
| Rajahmundry | '998 | '942 | '894 | '812 | '708 | '622 | '629 | '666 | '716 | '836 | '930 | 1'009 | '814 |
| Cocanada | 1'002 | '957 | '894 | '808 | '700 | '609 | '613 | '650 | '703 | '824 | '916 | '994 | '806 |
| Vizagapatam | 1'012 | '963 | '902 | '806 | '702 | '588 | '595 | '635 | '699 | '833 | '935 | 1'008 | '807 |
| Colombo | '918 | '919 | '899 | '850 | '820 | '831 | '846 | '852 | '882 | '880 | '892 | '899 | '874 |
| Aden | 1'012 | '983 | '930 | '871 | '795 | '685 | '651 | '675 | '774 | '899 | '984 | 1'028 | '857 |

The following tables give geographical summaries of the pressure variation data according to the two groups of divisions employed in the corresponding tables of temperature variation data, that is, for the eighteen divisions for

which variation data were given in the "Geographical Summaries" in the Annual Reports previously to 1891 and for the eleven meteorological provinces in Table I of each monthly review:—

TABLE IX.—*Geographical summary of the pressure variation data of Table II in the monthly weather reviews of 1894.*

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | Number of stations. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| | | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| North-West Himalaya | 7 | −'032 | + '042 | −'024 | −'004 | −'012 | −'017 | + '013 | −'034 | −'025 | −'033 | + '015 | −'012 | −'010 |
| Sikkim Himalaya, and Nepal. | 2 | −'020 | + '041 | −'031 | −'018 | −'038 | −'007 | + '014 | −'030 | −'037 | −'052 | + '003 | + '012 | −'014 |
| Punjab Plains . . | 4 | + '009 | + '019 | −'005 | −'027 | −'056 | −'027 | + '039 | −'034 | −'023 | −'052 | + '021 | + '013 | −'010 |
| Gangetic Plain . . | 9 | −'019 | + '013 | −'013 | −'024 | −'066 | −'019 | + '017 | −'027 | −'026 | −'054 | + '026 | + '002 | −'016 |
| Western Rajputana . | 2—3 | −'008 | + '012 | + '001 | −'033 | −'003 | −'032 | + '007 | −'025 | −'020 | −'042 | + '033 | + '011 | −'008 |
| Eastern Rajputana and Central India. | 3—4 | −'010 | −'003 | −'006 | −'020 | −'021 | −'027 | + '010 | −'022 | −'032 | −'049 | + '023 | −'008 | −'014 |
| Nerbudda Valley . | 2—3 | −'019 | −'018 | −'013 | −'037 | −'010 | −'027 | −'009 | −'017 | −'036 | −'044 | + '034 | −'011 | −'017 |
| Chota Nagpur . . | 1 | −'025 | + '013 | −'024 | −'029 | −'044 | −'022 | −'003 | −'030 | −'018 | −'053 | + '022 | −'005 | −'018 |
| Lower Bengal . . | 5 | −'030 | + '006 | −'025 | −'016 | −'058 | −'012 | 0 | −'015 | −'007 | −'033 | + '038 | + '007 | −'012 |
| Assam and Cachar . | 3 | −'044 | −'004 | −'046 | −'025 | −'057 | −'023 | + '002 | −'019 | −'008 | −'042 | + '040 | + '009 | −'018 |
| Orissa and Sambalpur | 2 | −'035 | + '004 | −'035 | −'021 | −'049 | −'027 | −'006 | −'020 | −'028 | −'040 | + '043 | −'011 | −'019 |
| Central Provinces (South) and Berar. | 5 | −'015 | + '001 | −'012 | −'025 | −'007 | −'025 | −'002 | −'020 | −'036 | −'044 | + '035 | −'008 | −'013 |
| Konkan | 3 | −'015 | + '003 | −'016 | −'009 | + '029 | −'021 | −'001 | −'021 | −'013 | −'015 | + '047 | + '015 | −'001 |
| Malabar Coast . . | 1 | −'012 | + '005 | −'018 | −'006 | + '012 | −'011 | + '003 | −'023 | −'014 | −'006 | + '019 | + '006 | −'004 |
| Deccan, Hyderabad and Mysore. | 5 | −'013 | + '012 | −'013 | −'008 | + '018 | −'017 | −'003 | −'023 | −'021 | −'022 | + '038 | + '007 | −'004 |
| Eastern Coast and Carnatic. | 4 | −'019 | + '004 | −'029 | −'025 | −'022 | −'028 | −'010 | −'036 | −'030 | −'024 | + '036 | + '009 | −'015 |
| Arakan and Pegu . | 4 | −'050 | + '001 | −'031 | −'029 | −'020 | −'022 | −'004 | −'023 | −'022 | −'006 | + '048 | + '004 | −'013 |
| Bay Islands . . | 1 | −'042 | + '001 | −'028 | −'031 | −'006 | −'021 | −'012 | −'041 | + '008 | + '023 | + '043 | + '009 | −'008 |
| Extra Tropical India . | 40—41 | −'020 | + '014 | −'018 | −'022 | −'039 | −'021 | + '011 | −'026 | −'024 | −'044 | + '026 | + '001 | −'014 |
| Tropical India . . | 25 | −'023 | + '004 | −'021 | −'019 | −'005 | −'022 | −'004 | −'025 | −'024 | −'022 | + '040 | + '003 | −'010 |
| Whole India . . . | 65—66 | −'021 | + '010 | −'019 | −'021 | −'026 | −'021 | + '005 | −'025 | −'023 | −'036 | + '031 | + '002 | −'012 |

TABLE X.—*Variation of the mean pressure of each month of 1894 from the normal in the eleven meteorological provinces of India.*

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|------------------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|-------|-------|--------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands. | −'051 | + '006 | −'033 | −'035 | −'016 | −'017 | −'004 | −'025 | −'015 | 0 | + '055 | + '013 | −'012 |
| Burma Inland . . . | −'035 | + '016 | ? | −'016 | −'012 | −'016 | −'016 | −'035 | −'016 | −'012 | + '052 | + '017 | −'006 |
| Assam | −'039 | + '010 | −'041 | −'020 | −'058 | −'013 | + '007 | −'016 | + '001 | −'046 | + '044 | + '004 | −'013 |
| Bengal and Orissa . . | −'029 | + '012 | −'031 | −'014 | −'054 | −'018 | + '007 | −'015 | −'005 | −'037 | + '042 | + '005 | −'012 |

TABLE X.—*Variation of the mean pressure of each month of 1894 from the normal in the eleven meteorological provinces of India—concluded.*

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|--|----------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur. | —'029 | + '012 | —'020 | —'016 | —'062 | —'019 | + '014 | —'021 | —'013 | —'049 | + '033 | + '001 | —'015 |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas . . . | —'010 | + '024 | —'010 | —'016 | —'058 | —'022 | + '026 | —'033 | —'020 | —'049 | + '025 | + '003 | —'011 |
| Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. | + '001 | + '015 | —'006 | —'028 | —'028 | —'033 | + '021 | —'027 | —'017 | —'041 | + '025 | + '004 | —'008 |
| East Rajputana, Central India and Gujarat. | —'011 | + '006 | —'002 | —'024 | 0 | —'031 | + '005 | —'016 | —'022 | —'039 | + '039 | —'014 | —'007 |
| Deccan | —'015 | + '005 | —'008 | —'017 | —'002 | —'025 | + '002 | —'015 | —'026 | —'037 | + '041 | —'008 | —'009 |
| West Coast | —'021 | + '001 | —'022 | —'011 | + '022 | —'012 | —'005 | —'024 | —'018 | —'013 | + '038 | + '008 | —'006 |
| South India | —'023 | + '006 | —'025 | —'019 | —'007 | —'018 | —'003 | —'032 | —'027 | —'023 | + '039 | + '012 | —'009 |

The following gives a summary of the more important abnormal features of the distribution of pressure during the four periods of the year 1894:—

I. The cold-weather period.—The mean pressure of the whole Indian area was '020' in defect in January and '010' in excess in February, and hence '005' in defect on the mean of the cold weather period. Pressure was relatively to the general condition in slight excess in the greater part of the Peninsula and North-West India, and in slight defect in North-Eastern India and Burma in January and in slight excess in Northern India, and very slightly in defect in the Peninsula in February. As is shown by the following statement, the pressure anomalies for the period were very small in amount and of little or no significance. The table gives the mean anomalies of the larger political divisions for each of the months of January and February 1894 and for the cold weather period:—

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | VARIATION OF MEAN S.A.M. PRESSURE FROM NORMAL. | | PRESSURE ANOMALY. | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|----------------|-------------------|----------------|---------------------------|
| | January 1894. | February 1894. | January 1894. | February 1894. | Cold weather period 1894. |
| | " | " | " | " | " |
| Burma | —'051 | + '006 | —'031 | —'004 | —'018 |
| Assam | —'039 | + '010 | —'019 | 0 | —'010 |
| Bengal and Orissa . . | —'029 | + '012 | —'009 | + '002 | —'004 |
| Bihar and Chota Nagpur | —'034 | + '011 | —'014 | + '001 | —'007 |
| North-Western Provinces and Oudh. | —'018 | + '019 | + '002 | + '009 | + '006 |
| Punjab | —'003 | + '022 | + '017 | + '012 | + '015 |
| Rajputana | —'012 | + '008 | + '008 | —'002 | + '003 |
| Central India | —'008 | + '006 | + '012 | —'004 | + '004 |
| Central Provinces . . | —'014 | + '006 | + '006 | —'004 | + '001 |
| Bombay | —'019 | + '002 | + '001 | —'008 | —'004 |
| Madras | —'023 | + '006 | —'003 | —'004 | —'004 |

The only important feature of the pressure conditions was shown by the data of the hill stations. Pressure was in considerable defect in January at these stations as compared with the nearest plain stations. The following table gives the vertical pressure anomalies of eight pairs of stations for the period, November 1893 to February 1894:—

| HILL AND PLAIN STATIONS. | VERTICAL PRESSURE ANOMALY. | | | | Mean of period, November 1893 to February 1894. |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---|
| | November 1893. | December 1893. | January 1894. | February 1894. | |
| | " | " | " | " | " |
| Quetta and Jacobabad . | —'011 | + '041 | —'034 | —'015 | —'005 |
| Leh and Lahore . . . | —'009 | + '041 | —'081 | + '048 | 0 |
| Kailang and Lahore . . | —'018 | ? | —'029 | + '033 | ? |
| Murree and Peshawar . | 0 | + '020 | —'056 | + '014 | —'006 |
| Simla and Ludhiana . . | —'019 | + '008 | —'028 | + '020 | —'005 |
| Darjeeling and Calcutta . | 0 | + '017 | + '019 | + '045 | + '020 |
| Mount Abu and Deesa . | —'021 | —'002 | —'028 | —'003 | —'014 |
| Pachmarhi and Nagpur . | + '015 | + '006 | + '011 | + '011 | + '011 |

The relative deficiency at the hill stations was moderate in November and large in January. A significant change occurred in February as the vertical pressure anomalies changed in character and indicated a moderate to considerable excess at the level of the hill stations in Upper India.

The chief features of the deficiency of pressure at the higher level stations in January were as follows:—

1st.—It was greatest in amount at the most elevated stations,

2nd.—It decreased in amount eastwards, and was small at Chakrata and Ranikhet. In the Eastern Himalayas (as represented by Darjeeling) pressure was, on the other hand, relatively in excess.

3rd.—The deficiency also decreased in amount southwards, and was practically nil at Pachmarhi. At the hill stations in Southern India and (probably) Ceylon, pressure was relatively in excess.

The most noteworthy feature of the pressure conditions in the cold weather was the change from negative vertical anomalies in January to positive vertical anomalies in February in which month pressure was more or less in excess at all the hill stations relatively to the plains.

Persistent deficiency of pressure during the cold weather period at the hill stations in Northern India, relatively to the neighbouring plain stations, is invariably associated with unusually disturbed weather and with abnormally heavy precipitation in the hill districts and plains of Northern India, and excess of pressure with less disturbed weather than usual. As is shown in the concluding summary, the cold weather of 1893-94 illustrates both of these relations.

II. The hot-weather period.—Weather was slightly more disturbed and showery than usual in the month of March, more especially in Upper India. April and May were, on the other hand, drier and warmer than usual and temperature was excessive in North-Eastern India in May.

The mean pressure of the Indian area was below the normal during the whole period :—

| MONTH. | MEAN PRESSURE VARIATION. | | | |
|-----------------|--------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| | Whole of India. | | Tropical India. | Extra Tropical India. |
| | From data of Table I. | From data of Table II. | | |
| | " | " | " | " |
| March | -.017 | -.019 | -.021 | -.018 |
| April | -.019 | -.021 | -.019 | -.022 |
| May | -.023 | -.026 | -.005 | -.039 |

The deficiency averaged .020" during this period, and was throughout moderate in amount. It varied very slightly, and hence represented a steady deficiency of pressure, nearly constant in amount, over the Indian area during this period.

The following table gives the local variations of pressure

or anomalies for each month and the mean of the period in each of the larger divisions :—

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | PRESSURE ANOMALY. | | | |
|---|-------------------|-------------|-----------|----------------------------|
| | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. | Period, March to May 1894. |
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands. | -.016 | -.016 | +.007 | -.008 |
| Burma Inland | ? | ? | +.026 | ? |
| Assam | -.024 | -.001 | -.035 | -.020 |
| Bengal and Orissa . . . | -.014 | +.005 | -.031 | -.013 |
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur. | -.003 | +.003 | -.039 | -.013 |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas . . | +.007 | +.003 | -.035 | -.008 |
| Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. | +.011 | -.009 | -.005 | -.001 |
| East Rajputana, Central India, and Gujarat. | +.015 | -.005 | +.023 | +.011 |
| Deccan | +.009 | +.002 | +.021 | +.011 |
| West Coast | -.005 | +.008 | +.045 | +.016 |
| South India | -.008 | 0 | +.016 | +.003 |

The local variations were small in April, but were moderate to large in amount in March and May. The chief features were—

1st.—A considerable deficiency in North-Eastern India, (*i. e.*, Assam, Bengal, Bihar and Chota Nagpur) and Burma. It was largest in Assam, East Bengal, and probably Upper Burma, and was most marked in May.

2nd.—A moderate to considerable excess in the Peninsula. This feature was very slightly marked in March and April but became more prominent with the advance of the season and was strongly shown in May. The excess was, on the whole, most pronounced in the west coast districts, Deccan, Khandesh, Berar and Central India.

The following gives the vertical pressure anomalies as determined from the pressure variations of eight pairs of stations in Northern and Central India :—

| HILL AND PLAIN STATIONS. | VERTICAL PRESSURE ANOMALY. | | | Mean of period, March to May 1894. |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|-----------|------------------------------------|
| | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. | |
| | " | " | " | " |
| Quetta and Jacobabad . . | +.011 | +.037 | +.042 | +.030 |
| Leh and Lahore | -.013 | +.046 | +.082 | +.038 |
| Kailang and Lahore . . . | -.024 | +.049 | +.088 | +.038 |
| Murree and Peshawar . . | -.021 | 0 | +.018 | -.001 |
| Simla and Ludhiana . . . | -.022 | +.023 | +.050 | +.017 |
| Darjeeling and Calcutta . | +.006 | +.018 | +.009 | +.011 |
| Mount Abu and Deesa . . | -.016 | -.007 | -.021 | -.015 |
| Pachmarhi and Nagpur . . | +.004 | +.009 | +.028 | +.014 |

The vertical pressure anomalies were small in March, but generally negative, and hence in conformity with the usual relation between that feature and the rainfall of the period in Upper India. They were small to moderate in amount, and generally positive in April. They were large in amount and positive in May for all the hill stations in Northern India except Mount Abu.

III. The South-West monsoon period.—The abnormal pressure features of the period varied to some extent from month to month, but they were, on the whole, very feebly marked, although the meteorology of the period in India presented large and striking irregularities and abnormal features. The mean pressure of the Indian area was below the normal for the three months of June, August and September and by almost the same amount as it was in defect during the preceding three months, *viz.*, '020". Pressure was, on the other hand, in very slight excess in July, during which four cyclonic storms, of greater intensity and more remarkable features than usually occur in the rains, advanced from the Bay and crossed Northern India in rapid succession.

The following gives data of the mean variation of pressure in India during this period:—

| MONTH. | MEAN VARIATION OF PRESSURE FROM NORMAL. | | | |
|---------------------|---|---------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|
| | Whole of India, Table I. | Whole of India, Table II. | Extra Tropical India, Table II. | Tropical India, Table II. |
| June | —'022 | —'021 | —'021 | —'022 |
| July | + '006 | —'009 | —'011 | —'004 |
| August | —'022 | —'025 | —'026 | —'025 |
| September | —'018 | —'023 | —'024 | —'024 |

In the following table are given the anomalies for each month of the period and for the whole period in the eleven meteorological provinces:—

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | PRESSURE ANOMALY. | | | | |
|---|-------------------|------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | June 1894. | July 1894. | August 1894. | September 1894. | Mean of period. |
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands. | + '005 | — 010 | —'003 | + '003 | —'001 |
| Burma Inland | + '006 | —'022 | —'013 | + '002 | —'007 |
| Assam | + '009 | + '001 | + '006 | + '019 | + '009 |
| Bengal and Orissa . . | + '004 | + '001 | + '007 | + '013 | + '006 |
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur | + '003 | + '008 | + '001 | + '005 | + '004 |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas . | 0 | + '020 | —'011 | —'002 | + '002 |
| Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana | —'011 | + '015 | —'005 | + '001 | 0 |
| East Rajputana, Central India and Gujarat | —'009 | —'001 | + '006 | —'004 | —'002 |
| Deccan | —'003 | —'004 | + '007 | —'008 | —'002 |
| West Coast | 0 | —'011 | —'002 | 0 | —'003 |
| South India | + '004 | —'009 | —'010 | —'009 | —'006 |

The anomalies were small but were similar in character throughout the period over the greater part of India. The chief persistent features were—

- (1) A slight deficiency in Burma, in July and August.
- (2) A slight excess throughout the whole period in Assam, Bengal and the Gangetic Plain.
- (3) Irregular variations in the Peninsula and Central India.

The trough of low pressure occupied a more northerly position than usual during three months of this period. In June it was slightly further north than usual, the axis running from Hazaribagh to Cawnpore, and thence to Dera Ismail Khan. Its mean position in July was normal, stretching from Orissa to Sind. It was much further north than usual in August, when the axis was defined by the following stations: Gaya, Lucknow and Mooltan. The western half of the trough was also further north in September, and the mean position of the axis stretched in a north-westerly direction from Orissa to the eastern districts of the North-Western Provinces, and thence through the submontane districts of North-Western India. The position of the monsoon trough of low pressure was directly related throughout the whole period to the distribution of the rainfall and the tracks of the cyclonic storms of the period.

In the following table are given the vertical pressure anomalies in Northern India, as determined by the variation data of six pairs of stations:—

| PAIR OF STATIONS. | VERTICAL PRESSURE ANOMALY IN | | | | Mean of period, June to September. |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|------------|--------------|-----------------|------------------------------------|
| | June 1894. | July 1894. | August 1894. | September 1894. | |
| | " | " | " | " | " |
| Leh and Lahore . . . | + '018 | —'030 | —'011 | —'003 | —'006 |
| Murree and Peshawar . | —'001 | —'035 | —'011 | —'004 | —'013 |
| Quetta and Jacobabad . | + '014 | —'017 | + '018 | + '010 | + '006 |
| Simla and Ludhiana . | + '002 | —'022 | —'005 | —'004 | —'007 |
| Darjeeling and Calcutta . | + '003 | 0 | —'019 | —'018 | —'008 |
| Mount Abu and Deesa . | —'019 | —'032 | —'022 | —'012 | —'022 |
| Mean of month . . . | + '003 | —'023 | —'008 | —'005 | —'008 |

They were small in amount and of little significance.

IV. The retreating south-west monsoon period.—The mean pressure of the Indian area was in largish

defect in October and in largish excess in November, and was normal in December. The following gives data :—

| MONTH. | MEAN VARIATION OF PRESSURE FROM NORMAL. | | | |
|--------------------------|---|---------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|
| | Whole of India, Table I. | Whole of India, Table II. | Extra Tropical India, Table II. | Tropical India, Table II. |
| October | —'033 | —'036 | —'044 | —'022 |
| November | + '038 | + '031 | + '026 | + '040 |
| December | + '003 | + '002 | + '001 | + '003 |
| Mean of period | + '003 | —'001 | —'006 | + '007 |

In the following table are given the pressure anomalies or local pressure variations for the eleven meteorological provinces of India for each month of this period and the average variations for the whole period :—

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | PRESSURE ANOMALY. | | | |
|--|-------------------|----------------|----------------|---|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Mean of period, October to December 1894. |
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands | + '033 | + '017 | + '010 | + '020 |
| Burma Inland | + '021 | + '014 | + '014 | + '016 |
| Assam | —'013 | + '006 | + '001 | —'002 |
| Bengal and Orissa | —'004 | + '004 | + '002 | + '001 |
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur | —'016 | —'005 | —'002 | —'008 |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas | —'016 | —'013 | 0 | —'010 |
| Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana | —'008 | —'013 | + '001 | —'007 |
| East Rajputana, Central India and Gujarat. | —'006 | + '001 | —'017 | —'007 |
| Deccan | —'004 | + '003 | —'011 | —'004 |
| West Coast | + '020 | 0 | + '005 | + '008 |
| South India | + '010 | + '001 | + '009 | + '007 |

The following gives the chief features of the variations of pressure from the normal, which were very persistent during the period :—

1st.—Considerable local excess of pressure in Burma, greatest in October and decreasing slightly in November and December.

2nd.—Slight but persistent local excess in the West coast districts and Southern India.

3rd.—Slight but persistent local deficiency in North-Western India, including the Punjab, North-Western Provinces, Rajputana and Sind, and

less marked at the end than at the beginning of the period.

The most important feature of the pressure distribution of this period was the abnormal local excess in Assam and Burma. The following gives data for representative stations in that area :—

| STATION. | PRESSURE ANOMALY. | | | |
|--------------------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|---|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Mean of period, October to December 1894. |
| Sibsagar | —'015? | + '001 | + '006 | —'003? |
| Silchar | + '013 | + '020 | + '004 | + '012 |
| Bhamo | + '027 | 0 | —'011 | + '005 |
| Mandalay | + '013 | —'012 | —'035? | —'011? |
| Tavoy | + '033 | + '001 | —'006 | + '009 |
| Mergui | + '037 | + '003 | —'010 | + '010 |
| Rangoon | + '032 | + '008 | —'004? | + '012? |
| Diamond Island | + '032 | + '019 | + '011 | + '021 |

It is noteworthy that this feature was also exhibited in the corresponding periods of the years 1892 and 1893.

The following gives mean data for the whole period :—

| DIVISION. | MEAN PRESSURE ANOMALY FOR THE PERIOD OCTOBER TO DECEMBER | | |
|---------------------------------------|--|--------|--------|
| | 1894. | 1893. | 1892. |
| Assam | —'002 | + '024 | —'011 |
| Burma Inland | + '016 | + '020 | + '011 |
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands | + '020 | + '008 | —'004? |

Corresponding data for representative stations in these areas are also given for the years 1892 and 1893 for comparison :—

| STATION. | PRESSURE ANOMALY. | | |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------|--------|
| | Mean of period, October to December | | |
| | 1894. | 1893. | 1892. |
| Sibsagar | —'003 | + '031 | —'020 |
| Silchar | + '012 | + '020 | + '005 |
| Bhamo | + '005 | + '006 | —'027 |
| Rangoon | + '012? | + '005 | —'013 |
| Diamond Island | + '021 | + '003 | —'003 |
| Tavoy | + '009 | —'011 | —'022 |
| Mergui | + '010 | —'002 | —'028 |

The connection between this local excess of pressure and the early withdrawal of the monsoon from the Bay in each of the three years in question is given in the concluding summary.

The following gives vertical pressure anomalies in North-Western India, as determined from the variation data of seven pairs of stations:—

| PAIR OF STATIONS. | VERTICAL PRESSURE ANOMALY IN | | | Mean of period, October to December. |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------------------------|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | |
| | " | " | " | " |
| Leh and Lahore . . . | + '024 | — '021 | — '035 | — '011 |
| Kailang and Lahore . . | + '036 | ? | ? | ? |
| Murree and Peshawar . . | + '016 | — '010 | — '037 | — '010 |
| Quetta and Jacobabad . . | + '019 | — '006 | — '024 | — '004 |
| Simla and Ludhiana . . | + '016 | — '015 | — '035 | — '011 |
| Chakrata and Roorkee . . | + '030 | — '003 | — '020 | + '002 |
| Darjeeling and Calcutta . | — '002 | — '018 | + '005 | — '005 |
| Mean of month . . . | + '020 | — '012 | — '024 | — '007 |

The vertical anomalies were hence positive and moderate in amount in October and were small but negative in November, thus indicating a tendency to the establishment of decreased pressure at the level of the hill stations in Northern India. They were negative in December and large in amount, and hence indicative of more disturbed weather than usual in North-Western India.

Annual.—The mean pressure of the Indian land area for the year 1894 (as obtained from observations at 10 and 16 hours) was '012" in defect. The deficiency was slightly greater in Extra Tropical than in Tropical India, and was least in the Deccan and the west coast districts, where it barely averaged '004." The pressure anomalies for the year (*i. e.*, local variations of pressure relative to the general conditions) exceeded '005" in the following areas only:—

| AREA. | Pressure variation from the normal, Table II. | Pressure anomaly. |
|----------------------------|---|-------------------|
| | " | " |
| Assam and Cachar | — '018 | — '006 |
| Konkan | — '001 | + '011 |
| Malabar | — '004 | + '008 |
| Deccan | — '004 | + '008 |

The mean pressure of the Indian area was below the normal in eight months and in excess in the remaining four months. The greatest deficiency was in October (—'033") and the greatest excess in November (+ '038").

The following gives the mean monthly variations of the pressure of the whole of India from the normal as deduced from the mean 8 A.M. monthly values and also from the mean monthly values as obtained from the 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. observations:—

| MONTH. | VARIATION OF MEAN PRESSURE OVER WHOLE INDIA FROM THE NORMAL. | |
|---------------------|--|---------------------------------------|
| | From 8 A.M. observations. | From 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. observations. |
| | " | " |
| January | — '020 | — '021 |
| February | + '010 | + '010 |
| March | — '017 | — '019 |
| April | — '019 | — '021 |
| May | — '023 | — '026 |
| June | — '022 | — '021 |
| July | + '006 | + '005 |
| August | — '022 | — '025 |
| September | — '018 | — '023 |
| October | — '033 | — '036 |
| November | + '038 | + '031 |
| December | + '003 | + '002 |
| Year | — '010 | — '012 |

The following table gives the monthly variations of pressure at four hill stations for comparison with variations of pressure at the level of the plains in India:—

| MONTH. | VARIATION OF MEAN PRESSURE OF MONTH OR FROM NORMAL. | | | | |
|-----------------------------|---|--------|---------|---------|--------|
| | Plains of India. | Leh. | Quetta. | Murree. | Simla. |
| January 1894 | — '020 | — '082 | — '020 | — '046 | — '024 |
| February | + '010 | + '064 | + '011 | + '027 | + '040 |
| March | — '017 | — '017 | + '010 | — '036 | — '030 |
| April | — '019 | + '020 | + '005 | — '013 | — '009 |
| May | — '023 | + '018 | + '005 | — '023 | — '006 |
| June | — '022 | — '003 | — '017 | — '029 | — '028 |
| July | + '006 | + '009 | + '013 | + '006 | + '009 |
| August | — '022 | — '053 | — '012 | — '044 | — '041 |
| September | — '018 | — '028 | — '008 | — '029 | — '031 |
| October | — '033 | — '032 | — '019 | — '034 | — '038 |
| November | + '038 | — '002 | + '022 | + '012 | + '009 |
| December | + '003 | — '031 | — '002 | — '025 | — '019 |
| Mean of Year 1894 | — '010 | — '011 | — '001 | — '020 | — '014 |

The data of the preceding table indicate that the pressure variations at the hill stations in North-Western India (varying in altitudes from 5,000 to 11,000 feet) were in most months the same in character as at the plains stations and that the mean pressure of the year was in defect at these stations, by almost exactly the same amount as at the plains stations. It may hence be inferred that pressure was in slight defect during the year due to some general cause and that the deficiency was common to the whole depth of atmosphere (up to 11,000 feet at least) as gauged by the meteorological stations in India.

In the following table are given monthly and annual variation data for the stations of Aden, Sibsagar and Colombo for comparison with the corresponding variations of the Indian land area. The comparison indicates that the larger variations of the year were common to the whole Indian monsoon region :—

| MONTH. | VARIATION OF MEAN PRESSURE OF MONTH OR PERIOD FROM NORMAL. | | | |
|---------------------|--|--------|-----------|----------|
| | Indian area. | Aden. | Sibsagar. | Colombo. |
| January | —'020 | —'019 | —'029 | —'015 |
| February | + '010 | —'036 | + '010 | + '005 |
| March | —'017 | + '005 | —'046 | —'011 |
| April | —'019 | + '006 | —'035 | —'018 |
| May | —'023 | —'003 | —'067 | + '005 |
| June | —'022 | —'005 | —'019 | —'014 |
| July | + '006 | —'004 | —'002 | —'004 |
| August | —'022 | —'006 | —'022 | —'032 |
| September | —'018 | —'027 | —'003 | —'023 |
| October | —'033 | —'012 | + '048 | —'005 |
| November | + '038 | —'014 | + '039 | + '007 |
| December | + '003 | —'009 | + '009 | + '004 |
| Year | —'010 | —'010 | —'018 | —'008 |

The following table gives the mean variation of pressure in the Indian area from the normal for each year of the period 1875 to 1894 (determined the from 10 and 16 hours observations) :—

| YEAR. | Variation of mean pressure over whole of Indian area from the normal. |
|----------------|---|
| 1875 | —'007 |
| 76 | —'007 |
| 77 | + '032 |
| 78 | + '002 |
| 79 | —'014 |
| 80 | —'003 |
| 81 | + '002 |
| 82 | —'010 |
| 83 | —'005 |

| YEAR. | Variation of mean pressure over whole of Indian area from the normal. |
|----------------|---|
| 1884 | + '010 |
| 85 | + '014 |
| 86 | —'003 |
| 87 | —'006 |
| 88 | + '011 |
| 89 | + '004 |
| 90 | —'009 |
| 91 | + '010 |
| 92 | —'002 |
| 93 | —'001 |
| 94 | —'012 |

The following gives a statement of the cyclones and more important cyclonic storms which affected the Indian area during the south-west monsoon of 1894, drawn up in the form adopted in the Annual Reports of the Meteorology of India for the years 1886—90. The tracks of these storms are laid down in Plate VI :—

| No. | Month. | Date. | Greatest observed barometric depression. | Character of storm. | Details of storm. |
|-----|--------|---------------|--|---|---|
| 1 | April | 27th to 30th. | '47" | Cyclonic storm of considerable intensity. | This storm formed in the Andaman Sea to the north-east of Port Blair on the 25th and 26th in front of an early advance of humid south-west monsoon winds. It advanced north-eastwards and crossed the Burma Coast near the mouth of the Rangoon river about 9 A.M. on the 29th. It broke up during the next 24 hours. The strongest winds experienced during the storm were probably of force 10 to 12. |
| 2 | June | 20th to 29th. | '25" | Cyclonic storm of moderate intensity. | The storm was generated in the north-west angle of the Bay on the 20th and 21st. It marched along the trough of low pressure during the next three days to the eastern districts of the North-Western Provinces, where it remained practically stationary until the 27th, on which day a heavy downpour of rain occurred in the Allahabad and adjacent districts. The storm hence intensified, and began to advance slowly westwards on the 28th into East and Central Rajputana, where it filled up on the 29th and 30th. The storm was chiefly remarkable for the excessive and prolonged rain it gave to the south-eastern districts of the North-Western Provinces and to Bundelkhand. Winds of force 9 to 10 were experienced by the S.S. <i>Shahzada</i> on the 22nd. |

| No. | Month. | Date. | Greatest observed barometric depression. | Character of storm. | Details of storm. | No. | Month. | Date. | Greatest observed barometric depression. | Character of storm. | Details of storm. |
|-----|----------------|------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|--|-----|--------------|------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|---|
| 3 | June and July. | 28th June to 2nd July. | "10" | Cyclonic storm of feeble intensity. | This feeble storm formed in the north-west angle of the Bay on the 28th and 29th June, whilst the previous storm was breaking up in Rajputana. It moved slowly north-westwards across the Balasore coast on the 30th, into Chota Nagpur on the 1st, where it filled up during the day. The strongest winds during its existence did not exceed 7 in force. The course of this storm is not given in the Track Chart (Plate VI). | 6 | July | 23rd to 28th. | "25" | Cyclonic storm of moderate intensity. | This storm formed rapidly on the 22nd and 23rd in the north-west angle of the Bay and South-west Bengal. It was a storm of moderate to considerable intensity on the morning of the 24th, winds of force 10 and 11 being experienced by the light vessels and pilot brigs near the entrance to the Hooghly. The storm centre drifted in a west-north-westerly direction through Chota Nagpur on the 25th and 26th into Bhagelkhand on the 27th. The storm gradually decreased in intensity during its advance across Chota Nagpur, and filled up in Bhagelkhand on the 28th. |
| 4 | July | 10th to 14th. | "30" | Cyclonic storm of moderate intensity. | The storm was in several respects the most remarkable cyclonic storm of the rains which has occurred during the past ten years. It was generated off the Orissa coast on the 9th and 10th. It intensified rapidly on the 11th and advanced towards the Orissa coast which it crossed near Puri about 3 A.M. of the 12th. It continued to advance in the same direction with an almost uniform velocity of 25 miles per hour across the head of the Peninsula and passed through Lower Sind on the morning of the 14th and broke up during the day against the mountain ranges of Baluchistan. The strongest winds during its existence were of force 9. | 7 | Sept. & Oct. | 23rd Sept. to 1st Oct. | "23" | Cyclonic storm of moderate intensity. | The storm originated slowly in the north-west angle of the Bay during the period from the 22nd to the 26th and crossed the coast near Puri about noon of the 27th. It passed into the Central Provinces on the 28th. The centre was between Seoni and Jubbulpore on the morning of the 29th. It had hitherto marched in a west-north-westerly direction, but recurved and advanced in a northerly direction through Baghelkhand on the 30th, and in a north-easterly direction during the next 24 hours into the eastern districts of the North-Western Provinces on the 1st of October and filled up there during the next 24 hours. |
| 5 | Do. | 14th to 24th. | "35" | Cyclonic storm of moderate intensity. | This storm formed in the north-west angle of the Bay on the 15th and 16th, whilst the previous storm was breaking up in Baluchistan. It advanced across the Orissa coast near Balasore about noon of the 17th and then marched in a due westerly direction at an average rate of nine miles per hour and was central near Sambalpur on the 18th, Nagpur on the 19th, Pachmarhi on the 20th, Indore on the 21st and Mount Abu on the 22nd. The indraught to it from the Arabian Sea occasioned strong stormy winds on the Cutch and Kathiawar coasts and an excessive cyclonic downpour in Cutch and Kathiawar—actions which originated a small secondary stationary depression on the 23rd in Cutch. The primary depression continued to advance in the same westerly direction and covered Lower Sind on the 24th. Both depressions filled up during the next 24 hours. The most remarkable features of the storm were the unusually strong winds and stormy weather which it gave along the Bombay, Kathiawar and Sind coasts and the excessively heavy and prolonged rainfall in the Central Provinces, South-West Rajputana, Gujarat, Khandesh, Kathiawar, Cutch and Sind. The strongest winds experienced in the Bay of Bengal during its existence were of force 9 and in the Arabian Sea of force 12. | 8 | October | 2nd to 6th. | "30" | Ditto | This storm formed rather rapidly in the north-west of the Bay on the 1st and 2nd, whilst the previous depression was filling up, and marched in a north-westerly direction to the North-Western Provinces, where it filled up on the 5th and 6th. The storm was remarkable for the heavy burst of rain it gave to the North-Western Provinces during the latter part of its existence. |
| | | | | | | 9 | Do. | 20th to 26th. | "23" | Ditto | This depression was formed in the Arabian Sea off the Malabar and Konkan coasts on the 22nd and 23rd. It marched northwards on the 24th and 25th, and then recurved to north-east and advanced towards the Gulf of Cambay over which it lay on the morning of the 26th. It continued to advance north-eastwards during the day, and broke up in Gujarat during the next 24 hours. The storm was chiefly remarkable for the heavy and prolonged rainfall it gave to Kathiawar, Gujarat, North Bombay, Central India and the eastern districts of the North-Western Provinces. |
| | | | | | | 10 | Oct. & Nov. | 27th Oct. to 5th Nov. | ... | ... | The storm formed to the west of the Andamans on the 28th and 29th of October, and marched in a west-north-west direction across the Bay to the Circars coast with a uniform velocity of 8 miles per hour. The centre |

| No. | Month. | Date. | Greatest observed barometric depression. | Character of storm. | Details of storm. | No. | Month. | Date. | Greatest observed barometric depression. | Character of storm. | Details of storm. |
|-----|--------|-------|--|---------------------|---|-----|----------|---------------|--|---|--|
| | | | | | crossed the coast on the morning of the 2nd. The storm was partially disintegrated by the obstructive action of the East Ghats and filled up practically during the day. A slight residual depression, however, advanced northwards into the North-Western Provinces on the 5th and disappeared on the 6th and 7th. The storm was remarkable for the unseasonable rainfall it gave to the Gangetic Plain. | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 2 | July . | 3rd to 11th. | "16" | Land-formed depression of feeble intensity. | India and then recurved to north passing through Central Rajputana on the 18th. It was absorbed during the next 24 hours into an area of disturbance existing over the Punjab at that time. The combined action of the two disturbances gave an excessively heavy burst of rain in the submontane districts of the Punjab and over the Punjab and Kashmir hill districts. This storm originated in Central Bengal on the 3rd during a heavy local burst of rain. It marched westwards during the next 48 hours, and the centre was near Cawnpore on the 5th. It was practically stationary until the 8th, when it intensified slightly and resumed its westerly march. The centre was near Ajmere on the 9th and crossed the Sind frontier on the 10th, and was near Kurrachee on the 11th. It broke up during the day under the action of the Baluchistan mountains. The storm was remarkable for the heavy burst of rain it gave during its later stages to Rajputana and Sind. |
| | | | | | | 3 | August . | 13th to 20th. | "18" | Land-formed storm of feeble intensity. | This depression formed in Bengal on the 12th and 13th at the eastern extremity of the trough of low pressure and marched slowly westwards until the 20th when it was absorbed in the permanent low pressure area in Sind and North-West Rajputana. The storm, although feeble, was remarkably persistent. |
| | | | | | | | | | | | |

The following is a similar statement of the three most important land-formed cyclonic storms generated in the plains of Bengal during the south-west monsoon of 1894.

| No. | Month. | Date. | Greatest observed barometric depression. | Character of storm. | Details of storm. |
|-----|--------|---------------|--|---|--|
| 1 | June . | 12th to 19th. | "24" | Land-formed cyclonic storm of moderate intensity. | This land-formed depression was generated in South-East Bengal on the 12th in front of the first strong and permanent advance of the monsoon winds over the north of the Bay. It advanced in a westerly direction from the 13th to the 17th into Central |

Winds.

The mean direction of the wind and the mean diurnal movement of the air, as measured by Robinson anemometers, are given for every station in Table II in each monthly review. The normal values are also given for the sake of ready comparison. The normal data of these elements will be found in a collected form in Tables XX and XXI of the Annual Report for 1890. The mean 8 A.M. wind directions for each month are laid down in the first chart in each monthly review. They are calculated in the usual manner from the 8 A.M. wind data given in Table I in each monthly review. As a general rule, the mean 8 A.M. wind directions vary little from the mean wind directions (calculated from the 10 and 16 hours wind data) in Table II of each monthly review, but in some cases and at certain seasons of the year they differ very considerably.

The chief features of the air movement over India in 1894, have been described in the monthly reviews of the year. The following gives a summary of the most important features :—

I. The cold weather period.—This period was more disturbed than usual, as a large number of cold weather storms crossed Northern India from west to east. As these disturbances chiefly influence the winds at the hill stations, the air movement of the period was considerably above the normal at these stations. The following table gives data in illustration :—

| STATION. | MEAN DAILY AIR MOVEMENT IN MILES DURING COLD WEATHER PERIOD. | | | |
|----------------------|--|--------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Mean actual. | Mean normal. | Variation from normal. | Percentage variation. |
| Murree | 319 | 197 | + 122 | + 62 |
| Chakrata | 165 | 120 | + 45 | + 38 |
| Ranikhet | 39 | 48 | — 9 | — 19 |
| Darjeeling | 132 | 92 | + 40 | + 44 |
| Mount Abu | 153 | 122 | + 31 | + 25 |
| Fachmarhi | 83 | 83 | 0 | 0 |

Winds were, on the whole, slightly stronger than usual in the Gangetic Plain; but the only important feature was the increased northing of the winds, apparently indicating a larger flow than usual from the Himalayas and probably also a diminished flow from the Baluchistan plateau. The following gives data for four representative stations:—

| STATION. | MEAN WIND DIRECTION. | | | MEAN WIND DIRECTION. | | |
|------------------|-----------------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| | Actual, January 1894. | Normal, January. | Increased northing. | Actual, February 1894. | Normal, February. | Increased northing. |
| Agra . . . | N 34° W | N 64° W | +30 | N 29° W | N 75° W | +46 |
| Allahabad . . . | N 36° W | N 34° W | -2 | N 60° W | N 66° W | +6 |
| Patna . . . | N 75° W | N 83° W | +8 | N 57° W | N 79° W | +22 |
| Hazaribagh . . . | N 38° W | N 62° W | +24 | N 31° W | N 68° W | +37 |

The same northerly deflection was very strongly shown in Bengal in January and to a less extent in Rajputana and Central India. The following gives data of three Bengal stations for January:—

| STATION. | MEAN WIND DIRECTION. | | |
|------------------|-----------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| | Actual, January 1894. | Normal, January. | Increased northing. |
| Hazaribagh . . . | N 38° W | N 62° W | +24 |
| Burdwan . . . | N 16° W | N 32° W | +16 |
| Calcutta . . . | N 12° W | N 38° W | +26 |

In consequence of the large number of disturbances during the period winds were generally stronger in Northern and Central India and somewhat more steady than usual. The following gives mean data illustrating these features:—

| DISTRICT. | STEADINESS DURING COLD WEATHER PERIOD. | | | AIR MOVEMENT IN MILES DURING COLD WEATHER PERIOD. | | |
|-------------------------------|--|---------------------|------------------------|---|--------------|-----------------------|
| | Mean actual percent-age. | Normal percent-age. | Variation from normal. | Mean actual. | Mean normal. | Percentage variation. |
| Chota Nagpur . . . | 57 | 57 | 0 | 185 | 137 | +35 |
| Bihar . . . | 52 | 47 | +5 | 83 | 67 | +24 |
| North-Western Provinces . . . | 34 | 34 | 0 | 61 | 60 | +2 |
| Sind . . . | 29 | 29 | 0 | 104 | 156 | -32 |
| Punjab . . . | 31 | 22 | +9 | 43 | 50 | -14 |
| Rajputana . . . | 34 | 25 | +9 | 118 | 121 | -2 |
| Central India . . . | 34 | 30 | +4 | 82 | 72 | +14 |

Winds were very light and irregular in the Central Provinces, Berar and the Deccan in January. They were more southerly than usual in February; but the variation from the mean were very irregular from station to stations. North-west winds continued longer than usual in Bengal, and held steadily until the end of February on the Bengal and Orissa coasts.

II. The hot weather period.—March 1894 was slightly more disturbed than usual. The pressure and temperature conditions and the weather generally in April were very approximately normal. The first advance of strong humid winds to Tenasserim and Burma occurred much earlier than usual in the last week of April, and light to moderate south-west winds held steadily in May over that area. The hot weather conditions in May were more intensely marked than usual in the Gangetic plain, the Central Provinces and the North Deccan. The chief feature of the last fortnight of May was the prevalence of very strong westerly hot day winds in the Gangetic plain, West Bengal and Chota Nagpur, accompanying abnormally high temperature conditions in Bihar, Chota Nagpur and West Bengal.

The air movement in India in March and April hence differed to no large extent from the normal. Winds were slightly steadier and stronger in Burma, and the Gangetic Plain and were very unsteady in Sind, Madras and the Bombay Deccan. They were very unsteady in Burma in April and also in Sind, and were generally somewhat stronger and steadier than usual in the Gangetic Plain and Bengal. They were also steadier in the Deccan and Central Provinces and more directly from west than usual. The following table gives comparative data of the strength and steadiness of the mean air movement in different provinces for the months of March and April 1894:—

| PROVINCE. | MEAN WIND VELOCITY IN MILES PER DIEM. | | WIND STEADINESS. | |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Mean actual, March and April 1894. | Mean normal, March and April. | Mean actual, March and April 1894. | Mean normal, March and April. |
| Burma . . . | 148 | 132 | 49 | 57 |
| Bengal . . . | 162 | 170 | 56 | 49 |
| Bihar . . . | 127 | 111 | 44 | 28 |
| Chota Nagpur . . . | 224 | 190 | 44 | 55 |
| North-Western Provinces . . . | 72 | 77 | 45 | 36 |
| Punjab . . . | 61 | 69 | 27 | 24 |
| Sind . . . | 140 | 177 | 21 | 41 |
| Rajputana . . . | 141 | 154 | 58 | 42 |
| Central India . . . | 101 | 107 | 57 | 46 |
| Central Provinces . . . | 105 | 101 | 31 | 31 |

The chief features of the air movement in May differed considerably from those of the preceding two months, and are hence given below:—

- (1) Winds were slightly weaker but steadier than usual at Port Blair and in Burma, probably due to the prevailing low temperature in that area during the month. The following gives mean data:—

| DISTRICT. | MEAN WIND VELOCITY IN MILES PER DIEM. | | WIND STEADINESS. | |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| | Mean actual, May 1894. | Mean normal, May. | Mean actual, May 1894. | Mean normal, May. |
| Port Blair | 154 | 166 | 71 | 48 |
| Burma (coast) . . . | 104 | 141 | 62 | 52 |
| Arakan | ? | 88 | 26 | 31 |

- (2) Winds were stronger and steadier than usual in Bengal and the Gangetic Plain and much more directly from the west in the interior than usual, more especially in West and Central Bengal. The following data show the increased strength and steadiness of the winds in that area:—

| PROVINCE. | MEAN WIND VELOCITY IN MILES PER DIEM. | | WIND STEADINESS. | |
|--------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| | Mean actual, May 1894. | Mean normal, May. | Mean actual, May 1894. | Mean normal, May. |
| Bengal | 250 | 184 | 64 | 54 |
| Chota Nagpur . . . | 262 | 210 | 32 | 15 |
| Bihar | 167 | 132 | 46 | 49 |
| North-Western Provinces. | 111 | 90 | 42 | 17 |

- (3) Winds were much stronger than the normal in Rajputana, Central India, Kathiawar, Gujarat, Berar and the Central Provinces and were more directly from the west than usual on the mean of the month over the greater part of that area, as in the Gangetic Plain. The following gives data illustrating the increased strength and steadiness of the winds in these areas:—

| PROVINCE. | WIND VELOCITY IN MILES PER DIEM. | | WIND STEADINESS. | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| | Mean actual, May 1894. | Mean normal, May. | Mean actual, May 1894. | Mean normal, May. |
| Rajputana | 282 | 220 | 89 | 63 |
| Central India | 203 | 140 | 82 | 48 |
| Berar | 308 | 208 | 83 | 62 |
| Central Provinces . . | 187 | 148 | 72 | 52 |

- (4) Winds were slightly weaker in the Punjab and the Bombay and Madras coast districts and were normal in the South Deccan. The variations from the normal conditions were however small and apparently unimportant, except so far as they showed a marked contrast to those obtaining in Northern and Central India.

The preceding hence suggests that the air movement in Northern and Central India in May was the ordinary hot weather circulation considerably strengthened and slightly modified in direction by the low pressure conditions which prevailed throughout nearly the whole month in North Bihar, North Bengal and Assam and probably over the Eastern Himalayan area.

III. The south-west monsoon period.—The south-west monsoon current was established in the north of the Bay about the normal date (*i.e.*, in the second week of June). The Arabian Sea current was slightly delayed and was not established on the Malabar coast until the 6th or 7th of June. It advanced with great rapidity northwards and into the interior, giving the first heavy rainfall in the Central Provinces and Central India on the 10th and in Upper India from the 11th to the 14th. The permanent advance in the Arabian Sea was effected more quietly than usual, and no cyclonic storm appears to have formed in any part of that area during the period of the advance. A cyclonic storm of moderate intensity formed in front of the advancing current in the north of the Bay. It marched by a curved path to Rajputana and the East Punjab, and established during its progress south-west monsoon conditions over the whole of Northern India.

The most noteworthy feature of the lower air movement of the south-west monsoon circulation in India was that the Bay current was considerably above its normal strength and the Bombay current slightly weaker than usual. This is shown by the following comparative data derived for each current from the anemometer returns of four coast and four inland stations, where the exposure of the wind instruments is most satisfactory and the observations are trustworthy:—

| MONTH. | BAY OF BENGAL CURRENT. | | BOMBAY CURRENT. | |
|----------------------|--|-----------------------|--|-----------------------|
| | Percentage variation of mean air movement from the normal at | | Percentage variation of mean air movement from the normal at | |
| | Four coast stations. | Four inland stations. | Four coast stations. | Four inland stations. |
| June | - 2 | + 3 | - 14 | + 6 |
| July | + 21 | + 24 | - 9 | - 3 |
| August | + 18 | - 5 | - 5 | 0 |
| September | + 22 | + 6 | - 16 | - 1 |
| Mean of period . . . | + 15 | + 7 | - 11 | + 1 |

Corresponding data are given showing the increased steadiness of the air movement during the greater part of the period :—

| MONTH. | BAY OF BENGAL CURRENT. | | BOMBAY CURRENT. | |
|-------------------|--|------------------|--|------------------|
| | Variation of mean steadiness percentage from the normal. | | Variation of mean steadiness percentage from the normal. | |
| | Coast stations. | Inland stations. | Coast stations. | Inland stations. |
| June | + 4 | - 2 | + 2 | + 6 |
| July | - 4 | -13 | + 4 | + 1 |
| August | +12 | + 9 | +12 | +10 |
| September | +12 | +12 | +13 | + 8 |

The following gives comparative data for the air movement in the Arabian Sea and Bay of Bengal so far as is indicated by the data collected from ships entering the ports of Calcutta and Bombay :—

| MONTH. | MEAN DAILY FORCE OF WIND (BEUFORT NOTATION) IN THE | | | | | |
|-------------------|--|---------|------------------------|--------------|---------|------------------------|
| | BAY OF BENGAL. | | | ARABIAN SEA. | | |
| | Actual. | Normal. | Variation from normal. | Actual. | Normal. | Variation from normal. |
| June. . . . | 4'1 | 4'0 | +0'1 | 4'1 | 4'5 | -0'4 |
| July. . . . | 4'1 | 4'0 | +0'1 | 4'3 | 4'6 | -0'3 |
| August | 3'5 | 4'0 | -0'5 | 3'7 | 4'3 | -0'6 |
| September | 3'7 | 3'7 | 0 | 3'6 | 3'5 | +0'1 |

The increased strength of the winds in the area dominated by the Bay current is shown clearly by the following comparative data giving the percentage variation of the winds from their normal strength in the larger divisions of the Empire :—

| DIVISION. | PERCENTAGE VARIATION. | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | June 1894. | July 1894. | August 1894. | September 1894. | Mean of period. |
| Bengal | + 1 | + 7 | + 1 | + 2 | + 3 |
| Bihar | +42 | +36 | +14 | +42 | +34 |
| Chota Nagpur | + 8 | +28 | - 3 | +6 | +10 |
| North-Western Provinces and Oudh. | +14 | -11 | - 7 | +8 | + 1 |
| Punjab | - 5 | -28 | -4 | -4 | -10 |
| Rajputana | -16 | -10 | +10 | -16 | - 8 |
| Central India | +13 | +11 | -3 | -10 | + 3 |
| Central Provinces | +11 | + 3 | -4 | -13 | - 1 |
| Bombay coast | - 7 | - 5 | - 5 | -19 | - 9 |
| Deccan | +15 | + 5 | 0 | +10 | + 8 |

The following gives briefly the more important variations in the direction of the lower air current in India during this period :—

June.—(a)—Winds were more easterly than usual in Bengal, Chota Nagpur and Bihar.

(b)—Winds were slightly more southerly in Central India and the Central Provinces.

(c)—The area of most variable winds (and hence the trough of low pressure) was somewhat further north than usual, and was defined by the following stations:—Hazaribagh, Allahabad, Agra, Roorkee and Lahore.

July (a)—Winds were very unsteady and more easterly than usual in North Eastern India, more especially in East Bengal and Assam.

(b)—Winds were more westerly than usual on the Burma coast and at Port Blair.

(c)—The area of most unsteady winds was defined by the following stations:—Burdwan, Hazaribagh, Allahabad, Agra and Mooltan.

(d)—Winds were stronger than usual at the hill stations in Upper India.

August (a)—The Bay current was steadier than usual and of normal strength.

(b)—Winds were steadier but weaker than usual in the North-Western Provinces.

(c)—The Arabian Sea current was much stronger and steadier than usual during the first three weeks of the month but was weak and unsteady during the last week.

(d)—The area of most variable winds (and of lowest pressure) was further north than usual, and occupied nearly the same position as in June. It stretched from Hazaribagh through Allahabad and Agra to Lahore

(e)—Winds were stronger than usual at the hill stations in Upper and Central India.

September (a)—The Bay current was stronger and steadier than usual.

(b)—Winds were more westerly than usual in Burma and at Port Blair.

(c)—Winds were more southerly and less easterly than usual in the interior of Bengal.

(d)—The axis of the trough of low pressure and area of variable winds stretched from Orissa (Cuttack) through Hazaribagh, Allahabad and Meerut to Lahore and Ludhiana, and was hence further north than usual at the western extremity.

(e)—The Arabian Sea current was steadier than usual, and winds were remarkably steady in Rajputana, Central India and the Deccan throughout the month and were more westerly than usual.

The preceding give all the more important features of the south-west monsoon air circulation. They may be summed up as follows:—

- (1) The Bay current was stronger and steadier than usual on the mean of the whole period.
- (2) It was directed in the south of the Bay to a greater extent than usual towards Tenasserim and Lower Burma, more especially in June and August.
- (3) It was determined in the first half of the period far more largely than usual up the Gangetic Plain and away from Assam and North and East Bengal. Its extension was, on the other hand, practically normal in Northern India in August and September.
- (4) The Bombay current was on the whole, slightly weaker but steadier than usual.
- (5) In its extension over the Peninsula and Central and North-Western India it advanced slightly more towards the north than usual. This was very marked in June and July.
- (6) Winds were stronger throughout the whole season at the hill stations in Upper and Central India,

IV. The retreating south-west monsoon period.—The south-west monsoon withdrew from Upper India in the last week of September and hence about the normal period. Pressure increased less rapidly than usual in the Baluchistan area and Upper India in October, and a remarkable feature of that month and the first week of November was the advance of all the cyclonic storms of that period to the eastern districts of the Gangetic Plain. After the disappearance of the third and last of these cyclonic disturbances pressure increased generally in Northern India, and fine clear weather set in. Pressure also increased rapidly at that time in Burma, and unusually cool dry weather, with strong northerly winds, was also established in that area in November.

These high pressure conditions extended south-westwards across the Bay in the third and fourth weeks of November and thus determined the final retreat of the south-west monsoon from the Bay in the last week of November and upwards of a fortnight earlier than usual.

The following gives the chief features of the air movement during this period, in which the south-west monsoon retreated from the whole Indian area:—

- (1) Winds in October were stronger and more easterly in the south-east of the Bay, and were weaker than usual and irregular in direction in the Coromandal coast districts.
- (2) Southerly winds prevailed during October to an unusual extent in Bengal and very light un-

steady winds in the Gangetic Plain and light north-westerly airs in the Punjab and Rajputana.

- (3) Abnormal north-westerly winds obtained in the Central Provinces and the Deccan, where, as a rule, winds are north-easterly in October.

These features hence indicated the more frequent and larger extension of the Bay current into North-Eastern India than usual in October and also the abnormal delay in the establishment of westerly land winds in the Gangetic Plain.

The conditions prevailing in October lasted until the end of the first week of November, when the ordinary cold weather air movement was established in Northern India, and stronger northerly winds than usual set in over Burma. The mean air movement of the month of November hence represents the conditions prevailing during the last three weeks of the month. The only important abnormal features were—

- (1) Winds were more easterly than usual in the east of the Bay.
- (2) Winds were less easterly than usual in the Central Provinces and Deccan.

The meteorological conditions in December were more abnormal than those of the preceding two months. North-east monsoon winds prevailed steadily throughout the month in the Bay, and were occasionally of considerable strength in the south-west during which period light to moderate showers fell in the South Coromandel coast districts and South Madras. On the other hand weather was more disturbed than usual in Upper India, and a series of very feeble depressions, which affected Baluchistan, Sind, and the Punjab chiefly, gave unusually early and heavy precipitation, more especially in the Punjab and Kashmir Himalayas.

The air movement in India during the month of December was marked by the following abnormal features:—

- 1st.—Winds were steadier and stronger in Burma and at Port Blair, and were more easterly than usual.
- 2nd.—Winds were more easterly or less westerly than usual in Bengal and Orissa.
- 3rd.—Winds were very light and unsteady in the Gangetic Plain, and were less westerly or more northerly than usual.
- 4th.—Winds were more northerly and less westerly than usual in Rajputana and Central India.
- 5th.—Winds were unusually unsteady in the Central Provinces and North Daccan, but were on the whole stronger than usual.

Humidity.

The four following monthly tables (Tables XI to XIV) give variation data of aqueous pressure and relative humidity :—

1st.—For the eighteen meteorological areas adopted in the geographical summaries of meteorolo-

gical data in the annual reports issued by the Department previous to 1891.

2nd.—For the ten meteorological provinces of the Empire.

TABLE XI.—Geographical Summary of the aqueous vapour pressure data of Table II in the monthly weather reviews of 1894.

| METEOROLOGICAL AREA. | Number of stations. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|--------|
| | | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| North-West Himalaya | 7 | + '066 | + '008 | — '013 | — '007 | — '015 | + '062 | + '035 | + '007 | + '035 | + '025 | + '018 | + '002 | + '019 |
| Sikkim Himalaya, and Nepal. | 2 | — '015 | + '036 | — '011 | + '005 | + '018 | + '018 | — '006 | + '005 | + '010 | + '060 | — '001 | — '003 | + '010 |
| Punjab plains . . . | 4 | + '024 | + '060 | + '003 | + '017 | + '021 | + '056 | + '074 | + '024 | + '023 | — '041 | — '012 | + '015 | + '022 |
| Gangetic plain . . . | 7—8 | + '026 | + '105 | — '027 | — '023 | — '047 | + '068 | — '010 | + '004 | + '034 | + '103 | + '080 | + '059 | + '031 |
| Western Rajputana . . | 2—3 | + '032 | + '059 | — '047 | — '014 | — '027 | + '043 | + '029 | 0 | + '022 | — '030 | + '013 | — '059 | + '002 |
| Eastern Rajputana and Central India. | 3—4 | + '060 | + '099 | — '009 | — '022 | — '003 | + '076 | + '019 | + '007 | + '072 | + '074 | + '065 | + '092 | + '044 |
| Nerbudda Valley . . . | 2—3 | + '024 | + '065 | + '014 | — '012 | — '003 | + '049 | + '009 | + '006 | + '053 | + '111 | + '054 | + '097 | + '039 |
| Chota Nagpur . . . | 1 | + '025 | + '083 | — '042 | + '012 | — '067 | + '031 | — '057 | — '037 | — '015 | + '098 | + '045 | + '063 | + '012 |
| Lower Bengal . . . | 5 | — '026 | + '040 | — '087 | — '017 | + '002 | — '019 | — '039 | — '029 | — '013 | + '033 | + '007 | + '027 | — '010 |
| Assam and Cachar . . | 3 | — '011 | + '080 | + '001 | + '013 | + '002 | + '019 | — '004 | — '007 | — '005 | + '047 | + '015 | + '015 | + '014 |
| Orissa | 2 | — '012 | + '026 | + '012 | — '015 | + '029 | — '004 | — '030 | — '017 | + '004 | + '042 | + '009 | + '023 | + '006 |
| Central Provinces, (South) and Berar. | 5 | + '021 | + '035 | — '011 | + '008 | — '030 | + '039 | — '008 | — '011 | + '034 | + '075 | + '004 | + '050 | + '017 |
| Konkan | 2—3 | — '006 | + '026 | — '010 | + '021 | — '002 | + '024 | — '005 | — '001 | — '007 | + '018 | — '051 | + '006 | + '001 |
| Malabar coast . . . | 1 | — '041 | — '017 | + '018 | — '019 | — '012 | + '002 | — '009 | 0 | + '011 | 0 | — '027 | — '031 | — '010 |
| Deccan, Hyderabad and Mysore. | 5 | + '025 | + '048 | + '031 | + '013 | — '016 | — '013 | — '018 | — '006 | — '018 | + '019 | — '035 | — '012 | + '002 |
| East coast and Carnatic. | 4 | — '016 | + '012 | + '007 | — '021 | — '023 | — '027 | — '029 | + '006 | — '010 | — '002 | + '004 | + '006 | — '008 |
| Arakan and Pegu . . | 4 | — '021 | + '069 | + '035 | — '011 | + '020 | + '026 | + '004 | + '005 | + '016 | — '001 | — '054 | — '023 | + '005 |
| Bay Islands | 1 | — '033 | + '039 | + '003 | — '008 | — '022 | + '006 | + '013 | + '018 | + '011 | + '006 | — '119 | — '035 | — '010 |
| Extra Tropical India . | 39—40 | + '025 | + '063 | — '023 | — '009 | — '013 | + '045 | + '009 | + '001 | + '026 | + '047 | + '032 | + '031 | + '020 |
| Tropical India . . . | 24—25 | — '001 | + '036 | + '012 | — '001 | — '009 | + '002 | — '012 | — '002 | + '005 | + '024 | — '025 | + '005 | + '003 |
| Whole India | 63—65 | + '015 | + '052 | — '009 | — '006 | — '011 | + '031 | + '001 | — '001 | + '018 | + '038 | + '010 | + '021 | + '013 |

TABLE XII.—Geographical Summary of the humidity data of Table II in the monthly weather reviews of 1894.

| METEOROLOGICAL AREA. | Number of stations. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| North-West Himalaya | 7 | +9 | +5 | +1 | -1 | -6 | +10 | +7 | +2 | +5 | +4 | +11 | +13 | +5 |
| Sikkim Himalaya, and Nepal. | 2 | -2 | +4 | -1 | +1 | -4 | 0 | +1 | +3 | +1 | +10 | +2 | +1 | +1 |
| Punjab Plains | 4 | +10 | +10 | +5 | +1 | -3 | +6 | +11 | +3 | +4 | -5 | -1 | +6 | +4 |
| Gangetic Plain | 7-8 | +3 | +12 | 0 | -1 | -7 | +8 | 0 | +5 | +4 | +10 | +10 | +8 | +4 |
| Western Rajputana | 2-3 | +9 | +10 | -3 | -2 | -1 | +5 | +7 | +1 | +1 | -2 | -2 | -10 | +1 |
| Eastern Rajputana and Central India. | 3-4 | +9 | +12 | +1 | -2 | -3 | +12 | +5 | +2 | +6 | +8 | +9 | +15 | +6 |
| Nerbudda Valley | 2-3 | +2 | +1 | +2 | -1 | -2 | +10 | +4 | +2 | +6 | +12 | +11 | +10 | +5 |
| Chota Nagpur | 1 | +1 | +8 | -6 | 0 | -10 | +4 | -4 | -2 | -2 | +9 | +5 | +4 | +1 |
| Lower Bengal | 5 | -6 | -1 | -10 | -3 | -5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -1 | +1 | +2 | +1 | -2 |
| Assam and Cachar | 3 | -2 | +4 | +1 | -2 | +1 | 0 | -1 | +1 | +3 | +5 | +3 | +2 | +1 |
| Orissa | 2 | -5 | -2 | -5 | -5 | -5 | +1 | -1 | -1 | -2 | +2 | +1 | -1 | -2 |
| Central Provinces, (South) and Berar. | 5 | +1 | +1 | +2 | 0 | -3 | +5 | 0 | -1 | +5 | +9 | +4 | +4 | +2 |
| Konkan | 2-3 | -2 | -1 | -3 | +1 | -1 | +1 | +1 | -2 | +1 | +2 | -5 | +1 | -1 |
| Malabar Coast | 1 | -6 | -2 | -1 | -2 | -4 | -3 | -2 | 0 | -1 | -1 | -4 | -6 | -3 |
| Deccan, Hyderabad and Mysore. | 5 | +6 | +7 | +6 | +5 | +1 | -2 | -1 | -1 | 0 | +4 | +1 | -1 | +2 |
| East Coast and Carnatic. | 4 | -1 | +2 | +1 | 0 | -5 | -5 | -5 | +1 | -1 | -2 | 0 | -1 | -1 |
| Arakan and Pegu | 4 | -1 | +3 | +2 | -2 | +6 | +2 | +1 | +1 | -1 | +1 | -3 | -1 | +1 |
| Bay Islands | 1 | -2 | 0 | -1 | 0 | +1 | 0 | 0 | +2 | +2 | 0 | -8 | -5 | -1 |
| Extra Tropical India | 39-40 | +4 | +7 | -1 | -1 | -4 | +6 | +3 | +2 | +3 | +5 | +6 | +6 | +3 |
| Tropical India | 24-25 | 0 | +2 | +1 | 0 | -1 | 0 | -1 | 0 | +1 | +3 | -1 | 0 | 0 |
| Whole India | 63-65 | +2 | +5 | 0 | -1 | -3 | +4 | +2 | +1 | +2 | +4 | +3 | +4 | +2 |

TABLE XIII.—Variation of the mean monthly aqueous vapour pressure in ten meteorological provinces of India in 1894

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | MEAN VARIATION OF AQUEOUS VAPOUR PRESSURE FROM NORMAL IN | | | | | | | | | | | | Year 1894. |
|---|--|-----------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | |
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | |
| Assam | -.030 | +.058 | +.015 | -.016 | +.004 | +.007 | +.007 | +.009 | +.014 | -.003 | -.077 | -.040 | -.004 |
| Bengal and Orissa | -.011 | +.080 | +.001 | +.013 | +.002 | +.019 | -.004 | -.007 | -.005 | +.047 | +.009 | +.015 | +.013 |
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur. | -.019 | +.042 | -.041 | -.013 | +.014 | -.003 | -.032 | -.022 | -.001 | +.033 | +.004 | +.027 | -.001 |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas | +.020 | +.112 | -.039 | -.015 | -.051 | +.041 | -.034 | -.009 | +.027 | +.110 | +.079 | +.054 | +.025 |
| Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. | +.041 | +.083 | +.006 | -.017 | -.013 | +.123 | +.050 | +.029 | +.019 | +.008 | +.055 | +.053 | +.036 |
| East Rajputana, Central India, and Gujarat. | +.015 | +.050 | -.033 | +.024 | +.001 | +.014 | +.044 | +.009 | +.020 | -.049 | 0 | -.059 | +.003 |
| Deccan | +.050 | +.074 | -.025 | -.039 | -.027 | +.069 | +.018 | +.001 | +.065 | +.042 | +.028 | +.074 | +.028 |
| West Coast | +.023 | +.054 | +.019 | 0 | -.010 | +.043 | +.002 | +.001 | +.037 | +.087 | +.026 | +.063 | +.029 |
| South India | -.015 | +.011 | -.001 | +.011 | -.005 | +.019 | +.002 | -.001 | -.003 | +.016 | -.045 | -.003 | -.001 |
| | +.011 | +.043 | +.031 | +.001 | -.018 | -.026 | -.029 | 0 | -.015 | -.005 | -.003 | -.008 | -.001 |

TABLE XIV.—*Variation of the mean monthly humidity from the normal in ten meteorological provinces of India in 1894.*

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | MEAN VARIATION OF HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|---|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year 1894. |
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands . | — 4 | + 2 | —1 | —2 | +6 | + 1 | + 1 | +1 | +1 | 0 | —6 | — 4 | 0 |
| Assam | — 2 | + 4 | +1 | —2 | +1 | 0 | — 1 | +1 | +3 | + 5 | +3 | + 2 | +1 |
| Bengal and Orissa | — 5 | — 1 | —6 | —3 | —4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | —2 | + 1 | +1 | + 1 | —2 |
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur. | 0 | +13 | —2 | 0 | —7 | + 5 | — 2 | +3 | +3 | +12 | +9 | + 4 | +3 |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas . . . | +11 | +14 | +6 | —2 | —5 | +13 | +10 | +6 | +5 | + 1 | +9 | +14 | +7 |
| Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. | + 7 | + 8 | —1 | —1 | —3 | — 1 | + 6 | 0 | +1 | — 6 | —5 | —11 | —1 |
| East Rajputana, Central India and Gujarat. | + 9 | +10 | 0 | —3 | —3 | +11 | + 6 | +2 | +6 | + 5 | +4 | +12 | +5 |
| Deccan | + 2 | + 4 | +2 | +1 | —2 | + 6 | + 2 | +1 | +5 | +10 | +7 | + 7 | +4 |
| West Coast | — 3 | — 1 | —2 | 0 | —2 | 0 | 0 | —1 | 0 | + 2 | —5 | — 1 | —1 |
| South India | + 2 | + 5 | +4 | +3 | —2 | — 4 | — 5 | 0 | —2 | — 1 | +1 | — 3 | 0 |

I. The Cold weather period.—The following is a statement of the more prominent features of the humidity conditions of the period:—

(1) The absolute and relative humidities were in marked excess over nearly the whole of North-Western and Central India, including Bihar, Chota Nagpur, the North-Western Provinces, the Punjab, Rajputana, Central India, and the northern districts of the Central Provinces. The following gives comparative data in illustration:—

| DIVISION. | VARIATION OF MEAN ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | VARIATION OF MEAN RELATIVE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | |
|-----------------------------------|--|----------------|----------------------------|--|----------------|----------------------------|
| | January 1894. | February 1894. | Cold weather period, 1894. | January 1894. | February 1894. | Cold weather period, 1894. |
| Bihar | + '012 | + '108 | + '060 | — 1 | + 10 | + 5 |
| Chota-Nagpur | + '025 | + '083 | + '054 | + 1 | + 8 | + 5 |
| North-Western Provinces and Oudh. | + '030 | + '089 | + '060 | + 4 | + 12 | + 8 |
| Punjab | + '024 | + '060 | + '042 | + 10 | + 10 | + 10 |
| Rajputana | + '045 | + '056 | + '051 | + 9 | + 7 | + 8 |
| Sind | + '031 | + '076 | + '054 | + 9 | + 14 | + 12 |
| Central India | + '072 | + '135 | + '104 | + 12 | + 17 | + 15 |
| Berar | + '023 | + '033 | + '028 | + 1 | + 1 | + 1 |
| Central Provinces | + '029 | + '071 | + '050 | + 2 | + 3 | + 3 |

The amount of aqueous vapour in the air was from 20 to 50 per cent. greater than the normal, and was most largely in excess in Central India, South Bihar and the

eastern districts of the North-Western Provinces. The relative humidity was largely in excess, as the temperature was considerably below the normal in the area of increased absolute humidity. The mean excess for the whole period was greatest at Lahore (16 above the normal), Ludhiana (14 above), Nowgong (14 above) and Sutna (12 above), and hence in the South-East Punjab, Bundelkhand and Baghelkhand.

(2) The amount of aqueous vapour present in the air was almost as largely in excess, relatively to the normal conditions, at the hill stations in North-Western and Central India as in the adjacent plain districts. As the temperature was lower than usual at these stations, the mean humidity percentage was in moderately large excess, e.g.:—

| STATION. | VARIATION OF MEAN ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | VARIATION OF MEAN RELATIVE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | |
|---------------------|--|----------------|---------------------------------|--|----------------|---------------------------------|
| | January 1894. | February 1894. | Mean cold weather period, 1894. | January 1894. | February 1894. | Mean cold weather period, 1894. |
| Quetta | + '007 | + '039 | + '023 | + 15 | + 10 | + 13 |
| Leh | + '004 | — '001 | + '002 | + 7 | + 5 | + 6 |
| Murree | + '015 | + '015 | + '015 | + 21 | + 4 | + 13 |
| Simla | — '010 | + '016 | + '003 | + 3 | + 6 | + 5 |
| Ranikhet | + '015 | + '051 | + '033 | + 8 | + 11 | + 10 |
| Mount Abu | + '053 | + '074 | + '064 | + 13 | + 10 | + 12 |
| Pachmarhi | + '023 | + '057 | + '040 | + 1 | + 2 | + 2 |

(3) The air was slightly drier than usual in Burma, Orissa, Bengal and Assam in January; but the absolute humidity increased considerably in February and was in moderate excess, and hence on the mean of the period the air contained slightly more moisture than usual. The following gives data:—

| PROVINCE OR AREA. | VARIATION OF MEAN ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | VARIATION OF MEAN RELATIVE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | |
|--------------------|--|----------------|---------------------------------|--|----------------|---------------------------------|
| | January 1894. | February 1894. | Mean cold weather period, 1894. | January 1894. | February 1894. | Mean cold weather period, 1894. |
| Port Blair | —'038 | + '039 | —'001 | —2 | 0 | —1 |
| Burma | —'027 | + '065 | + '019 | —5 | +2 | —2 |
| Bengal | —'022 | + '047 | + '013 | —5 | 0 | —3 |
| Orissa | —'012 | + '026 | + '007 | —5 | —2 | —4 |
| Assam | —'011 | + '080 | + '035 | —2 | +4 | +1 |

(4) The air was somewhat less humid than usual in the west coast districts due to the frequent extension of dry northerly winds along that coast after the larger disturbances and cold weather storms of the period. The following gives comparative data for four stations in that area:—

| STATION. | VARIATION OF MEAN ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | VARIATION OF MEAN RELATIVE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | |
|---------------------|--|----------------|---------------------------------|--|----------------|---------------------------------|
| | January 1894. | February 1894. | Mean cold weather period, 1894. | January 1894. | February 1894. | Mean cold weather period, 1894. |
| Bombay | + '004 | + '016 | + '010 | —3 | —2 | —3 |
| Ratnagiri | —'001 | + '035 | + '017 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Karwar | —'022 | ? | ? | —4 | ? | ? |
| Cochin | —'041 | —'017 | —029 | —6 | —2 | —4 |

(5) There was a slight to moderate excess of aqueous vapour in the Deccan, North and Central Madras, and a slight deficiency in the southern districts of Madras.

The following data for four stations illustrate the conditions which obtained in these areas:—

| STATION. | VARIATION OF MEAN ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | VARIATION OF MEAN RELATIVE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | |
|------------------------|--|----------------|---------------------------------|--|----------------|---------------------------------|
| | January 1894. | February 1894. | Mean cold weather period, 1894. | January 1894. | February 1894. | Mean cold weather period, 1894. |
| Sholapur | + 'c26 | + '014 | + '020 | +3 | 0 | +2 |
| Madras | + '055 | + '074 | + '065 | +6 | +6 | +6 |
| Bangalore | + '010 | + '020 | + '015 | —1 | +3 | +1 |
| Trichinopoly | —'057 | —'029 | —'043 | —7 | —5 | —6 |

The humidity conditions of this period were very similar to those which prevailed in the corresponding period of the preceding year 1893. The most noteworthy feature was the excessive humidity over the whole of North-Western and Central India, Bihar and Chota Nagpur.

II.—The hot weather period.—This period was even drier than usual over nearly the whole of India. The chief exception was Burma where the showery weather usually antecedent to the rains proper commenced earlier than usual in the last week of April.

The following gives a summary of the more important humidity conditions of India during this period:—

1st.—The air was somewhat less humid than usual in Burma and Arakan during March and April and more humid in May and on the mean of the whole period the relative humidity was in slight excess, as is shown by the following:—

| STATION. | VARIATION OF MEAN ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | | VARIATION OF MEAN RELATIVE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | |
|--------------------------|--|-------------|-----------|--------------------------|--|-------------|-----------|--------------------------|
| | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. | Hot weather period 1894. | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. | Hot weather period 1894. |
| Rangoon | + '010 | —'065 | + '013 | —'014 | —1 | —5 | +8 | +1 |
| Diamond Island | + '010 | —'025 | —'030 | —'015 | —1 | —2 | +7 | +1 |
| Akyab | + '036 | + '033 | + '053 | + '041 | —1 | 0 | +6 | +2 |

2nd.—The humidity conditions were normal in Assam during the whole period. The air was much drier over the whole of Bengal in March and in West Bengal, Chota Nagpur and Bihar in May.

The following gives comparative data for these areas :—

| PROVINCES. | VARIATION OF MEAN ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | | VARIATION OF MEAN RELATIVE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | |
|----------------|--|-------------|-----------|---------------------------|--|-------------|-----------|---------------------------|
| | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. | Hot weather period, 1894. | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. | Hot weather period, 1894. |
| Bengal . . | -.059 | -.012 | +.009 | -.021 | -7 | -2 | -4 | -4 |
| Bihar . . | -.070 | -.004 | -.022 | -.035 | -6 | +1 | -5 | -3 |
| Chota Nagpur . | -.042 | +.012 | -.067 | -.032 | -6 | 0 | -10 | -5 |
| Orissa . . | +.012 | -.015 | +.021 | +.009 | -5 | -5 | -5 | -5 |

The conditions are shown even more clearly by the data of the following stations :—

| STATION. | VARIATION OF MEAN ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | | VARIATION OF MEAN RELATIVE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | |
|----------------|--|-------------|-----------|--------------------------|--|-------------|-----------|--------------------------|
| | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. | Hot weather period 1894. | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. | Hot weather period 1894. |
| Burdwan . . | -.116 | +.021 | -.012 | -.036 | -11 | +4 | -6 | -4 |
| Hazaribagh . . | -.042 | +.012 | -.067 | -.032 | -6 | 0 | -10 | -5 |
| Berhampur . . | -.112 | +.017 | -.002 | -.032 | -14 | -4 | -9 | -9 |
| Patna . . | -.088 | -.013 | -.082 | -.061 | -9 | -1 | -12 | -7 |

3rd.—The amount of aqueous vapour present in the air and the relative humidity were both below the normal to a moderate extent in the North Western Provinces, Rajputana, Central India and Sind, as is shown by the following comparative data :—

| PROVINCE. | VARIATION OF MEAN ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | | VARIATION OF MEAN RELATIVE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | |
|-----------------|--|-------------|-----------|--------------------------|--|-------------|-----------|--------------------------|
| | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. | Hot weather period 1894. | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. | Hot weather period 1894. |
| N.-W. Provinces | -.013 | -.030 | -.052 | -.032 | +2 | -2 | -7 | -2 |
| Rajputana . . | -.024 | -.025 | -.024 | -.024 | 0 | -3 | 0 | -1 |
| Central India . | -.063 | -.028 | -.004 | -.032 | -6 | -1 | -5 | -4 |
| Sind . . | +.004 | +.001 | -.008 | -.001 | +2 | -4 | -3 | -2 |

4th.—The relative as well as the absolute humidity were in moderate excess in the Punjab and Baluchistan.

5th.—The most noteworthy feature at the hill stations in the Western Himalaya was the

increased humidity at the high stations of Leh and Kailang due in part to excess of aqueous vapour and in part to decreased temperature :—

| STATION. | VARIATION OF MEAN ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | | VARIATION OF MEAN RELATIVE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | |
|-------------|--|-------------|-----------|---------------------------|--|-------------|-----------|---------------------------|
| | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. | Hot weather period, 1894. | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. | Hot weather period, 1894. |
| Leh . . | -.009 | +.009 | +.006 | +.002 | +3 | +6 | +2 | +4 |
| Kailang . . | -.010 | -.022 | +.008 | -.011 | 0 | +2 | +5 | +2 |

6th.—The humidity conditions in the Deccan and the Madras and Bombay districts differed to no important extent from the normal. The chief feature was a moderate excess of vapour in the Deccan and Mysore. The following data for three stations illustrate it :—

| STATION. | VARIATION OF MEAN ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | | VARIATION OF MEAN RELATIVE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | |
|---------------|--|-------------|-----------|---------------------------|--|-------------|-----------|---------------------------|
| | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. | Hot weather period, 1894. | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. | Hot weather period, 1894. |
| Bellary . . | +.046 | +.053 | -.035 | +.021 | +5 | +7 | 0 | +4 |
| Sholapur . . | -.004 | +.030 | -.011 | +.005 | -2 | +4 | 0 | +1 |
| Bangalore . . | +.023 | +.021 | +.011 | +.020 | +2 | +6 | +3 | +4 |

III.—*The South-west monsoon period.*—The rains commenced slightly later than usual on the Bombay coast, and the monsoon current in the Arabian Sea was below its normal strength during the second and third weeks of June. The Bay of Bengal current was strong, and set in slightly earlier than usual. Monsoon conditions extended unusually rapidly into the interior and obtained over the whole of India from the commencement of the fourth week of June. South-west monsoon conditions continued with great steadiness during the next three months.

The variations of the mean humidity conditions from the normal during the whole period were not large. The absolute and relative humidities were both in steady excess over the greater part of India during the period, the excess being most marked in the Punjab, the North-Western Provinces, Rajputana and Central India, where the rainfall was, more especially when considered relatively to the normal, in considerable to large excess. The following

gives mean variation data for the period in the larger political divisions of Northern and Central India :—

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | VARIATION OF MEAN ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | | | VARIATION OF MEAN RELATIVE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | | |
|---|--|------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|--|------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|
| | June 1894. | July 1894. | August 1894. | September 1894. | Mean of period June to September. | June 1894. | July 1894. | August 1894. | September 1894. | Mean of period June to September. |
| Burma | + '008 | + '005 | + '005 | + '015 | + '008 | +1 | +1 | +1 | +1 | +1 |
| Bengal | - '003 | - '035 | - '024 | - '003 | - '016 | 0 | -1 | 0 | -2 | -1 |
| Assam | + '019 | - '004 | - '007 | - '005 | + '001 | 0 | -1 | +1 | +3 | +1 |
| Orissa | - '004 | - '030 | - '017 | + '004 | - '012 | +1 | -1 | -1 | -2 | -1 |
| Bihar | + '005 | - '035 | - '019 | + '017 | - '008 | +2 | -4 | +2 | +3 | +1 |
| Chota Nagpur | + '031 | - '057 | - '037 | - '015 | - '020 | +4 | -4 | -2 | -2 | -1 |
| North-Western Provinces and Oudh. | + '089 | - '007 | + '012 | + '010 | + '034 | +10 | +2 | +5 | +4 | +5 |
| Punjab | + '056 | + '074 | + '024 | + '023 | + '044 | +6 | +11 | +3 | +4 | +6 |
| Sind | + '043 | + '027 | + '006 | + '009 | + '021 | +2 | +5 | 0 | -1 | +2 |
| Rajputana | + '078 | + '029 | - '005 | + '086 | + '047 | +12 | +8 | +1 | +7 | +7 |
| Central India | + '056 | + '001 | + '015 | + '059 | + '033 | +11 | +1 | +4 | +5 | +5 |

There was a slight deficiency in the amount of aqueous vapour present in the air during the month of July in North Bengal, Bihar and Assam, as is shown by the following returns for five stations :—

| STATION. | JUNE. | | JULY. | |
|----------------------|--|---|--|---|
| | Percentage variation of absolute humidity. | Variation from normal of relative humidity. | Percentage variation of absolute humidity. | Variation from normal of relative humidity. |
| Darjeeling | +1 | -2 | -1 | 0 |
| Darbhangha | 0 | +1 | -4 | -5 |
| Dhubri | +3 | -1 | -1 | 0 |
| Silchar | +1 | -1 | -1 | -3 |
| Sibsagar | +2 | +2 | +1 | 0 |

The increased humidity in North-Western India was most strongly shown in the East Punjab, East Rajputana and the North-Western Provinces, more especially at the following stations :—

| STATION. | ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY. | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| | June. | | July. | | August. | | September. | |
| | Actual average. | Percentage variation. | Actual average. | Percentage variation. | Actual average. | Percentage variation. | Actual average. | Percentage variation. |
| Ghazipur | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| Agra | '888 | +14 | '952 | +3 | '958 | +5 | '939 | +10 |
| Roorkee | '757 | +13 | '897 | -2 | '898 | 0 | '838 | +7 |
| Meerut | '794 | +25 | '835 | +1 | '878 | +2 | '782 | +2 |
| Lahore | '768 | +12 | '904 | +2 | '903 | +3 | '784 | +4 |
| Ludhiana | '727 | +20 | '956 | +11 | '902 | +4 | '730 | +2 |
| Jeypore | '767 | +21 | '955 | +10 | '907 | +4 | '758 | +2 |
| Ajmere | '755 | +13 | '844 | -1 | '790 | -3 | '747 | +11 |
| Saugor | '789 | +16 | '851 | +8 | '801 | +3 | '789 | +15 |
| | '723 | +18 | '803 | +4 | '793 | +1 | '799 | +10 |

Humidity was also very largely in excess at the hill stations in the Punjab and the North-Western Provinces, for three of which comparative data are given below :—

| STATION. | ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY. | | | | | | | |
|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| | June. | | July. | | August. | | September. | |
| | Average actual. | Percentage variation. | Average actual. | Percentage variation. | Average actual. | Percentage variation. | Average actual. | Percentage variation. |
| Simla | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| Ranikhet | '433 | +5 | '533 | -2 | '517 | -3 | '441 | -1 |
| Chakrata | '549 | +19 | '591 | +2 | '580 | +2 | '526 | +4 |
| | '489 | +20 | '559 | +10 | '549 | +1 | '497 | +6 |

The following gives comparative data for the larger political divisions of the Peninsula or Tropical India for the whole period :—

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | VARIATION OF MEAN ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | | | VARIATION OF MEAN RELATIVE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|--|------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------------------------|--|------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------------------------|
| | June 1894. | July 1894. | August 1894. | September 1894. | South-west monsoon period 1894. | June 1894. | July 1894. | August 1894. | September 1894. | South-west monsoon period 1894. |
| Berar | + '021 | - '017 | - '012 | + '045 | + '009 | +3 | -2 | -3 | +7 | +1 |
| Central Provinces, Mysore | + '063 | + '010 | + '002 | + '049 | + '031 | +10 | +4 | +2 | +5 | +5 |
| Bombay | + '001 | - '011 | + '029 | + '019 | + '010 | -1 | -3 | +3 | +1 | 0 |
| Madras | + '012 | - '001 | + '002 | - '002 | + '003 | 0 | 0 | -1 | +1 | 0 |
| | - '037 | - '039 | - '005 | - '023 | - '026 | -5 | -5 | 0 | -2 | -3 |

IV.—The retreating south-west monsoon period.—The humidity conditions of this period were very plainly marked, and were closely related to the abnormal rainfall distribution of the period. The following gives a summary of the more important features which, as will be seen, were very persistent throughout the period:—

(1) Humidity was in defect throughout the period in the Andamans and Burma, and was on the mean of the whole period normal or in slight excess in Assam, Bengal and Orissa. The following gives data in illustration of this feature:—

| PROVINCE OR AREA. | VARIATION OF MEAN ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | | VARIATION OF MEAN RELATIVE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | |
|-------------------|--|----------------|----------------|-----------------|--|----------------|----------------|-----------------|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Mean of period. | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Mean of period. |
| | " | " | " | " | | | | |
| Port Blair . | + '006 | - '119 | - '035 | - '049 | 0 | - 8 | - 5 | - 4 |
| Burma . | - '006 | - '063 | - '041 | - '037 | 0 | - 5 | - 4 | - 3 |
| Assam . | + '047 | + '009 | + '015 | + '024 | + 5 | + 3 | + 2 | + 3 |
| Bengal . | + '030 | + '002 | + '028 | + '020 | + 1 | + 2 | + 2 | + 2 |
| Orissa . | + '042 | + '009 | + '023 | + '025 | + 2 | + 1 | - 1 | + 1 |

(2) Humidity was more or less largely in excess throughout the period in Bihar, Chota Nagpur, the North-Western Provinces, the East Punjab, Rajputana, Central India and the Central Provinces, as is shown by the following data:—

| DIVISION. | VARIATION OF MEAN ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | | VARIATION OF MEAN RELATIVE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | |
|--------------------------|--|----------------|----------------|-----------------|--|----------------|----------------|-----------------|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Mean of period. | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Mean of period. |
| | " | " | " | " | | | | |
| Bihar . | + '098 | + '071 | + '045 | + '071 | + 8 | + 8 | + 4 | + 7 |
| Chota Nagpur . | + '098 | + '045 | + '063 | + '069 | + 9 | + 5 | + 4 | + 6 |
| North-Western Provinces. | + '105 | + '084 | + '065 | + '085 | + 10 | + 11 | + 10 | + 10 |
| East Punjab . | - '045 | + '028 | + '039 | + '007 | - 4 | + 6 | + 14 | + 5 |
| Rajputana . | + '013 | - '002 | + '066 | + '026 | + 1 | + 1 | + 11 | + 4 |
| Central India . | + '146 | + '115 | + '105 | + '122 | + 18 | + 16 | + 14 | + 16 |
| Central Provinces. | + '101 | + '053 | + '086 | + '080 | + 11 | + 10 | + 9 | + 10 |

(3) Humidity was almost as largely and persistently in excess during this period at the hill stations of the South-East Punjab and North-Western Provinces as in

the adjacent plains. The following gives data for four stations:—

| STATION. | VARIATION OF MEAN ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | | VARIATION OF MEAN RELATIVE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | |
|------------|--|----------------|----------------|-----------------|--|----------------|----------------|-----------------|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Mean of period. | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Mean of period. |
| | " | " | " | " | | | | |
| Simla . | + '016 | + '008 | 0 | + '008 | + 7 | + 8 | + 13 | + 9 |
| Chakrata . | + '086 | + '042 | + '027 | + '052 | + 14 | + 11 | + 18 | + 14 |
| Ranikhet . | + '086 | + '026 | + '015 | + '042 | + 15 | + 10 | + 13 | + 13 |
| Kailang . | + '009 | + '013 | - '013 | + '003 | - 3 | + 16 | + 9 | + 7 |

(4) The season was even drier than usual in Baluchistan, Sind, the North and West Punjab and (probably) North-west Rajputana. The humidity conditions are clearly shown by the comparative data of the representative stations given below:—

| STATION. | VARIATION OF MEAN ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | | VARIATION OF MEAN RELATIVE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | |
|-------------|--|----------------|----------------|---------------------------------|--|----------------|----------------|---------------------------------|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Mean of period, October to Dec. | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Mean of period, October to Dec. |
| | " | " | " | " | | | | |
| Quetta . | - '043 | - '004 | + '005 | - '014 | - 3 | - 5 | + 6 | - 1 |
| Jacobabad . | - '017 | + '003 | - '067 | - '027 | - 1 | - 6 | - 21 | - 9 |
| Peshawar . | - '039 | - '031 | - '034 | - '035 | - 6 | - 9 | - 5 | - 7 |
| Mooltan . | - '034 | - '044 | + '017 | - '020 | - 5 | - 3 | + 3 | - 2 |

(5) Humidity was normal or in slight excess in the Deccan, North and Central Madras, and was more or less in defect in South Madras and the west coast districts throughout the period. The conditions are most clearly illustrated by the comparative data for five typical stations given below:—

| STATION. | VARIATION OF MEAN ABSOLUTE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | | VARIATION OF MEAN RELATIVE HUMIDITY FROM NORMAL IN | | | |
|----------------|--|----------------|----------------|---------------------------------|--|----------------|----------------|---------------------------------|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Mean of period, October to Dec. | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Mean of period, October to Dec. |
| | " | " | " | " | | | | |
| Bombay . | - '007 | - '066 | 0 | - '024 | + 1 | - 5 | + 1 | - 1 |
| Cochin . | 0 | - '027 | - '031 | - '019 | - 1 | - 4 | - 6 | - 4 |
| Sholapur . | + '033 | - '037 | + '004 | 0 | + 4 | 0 | - 1 | + 1 |
| Madras . | + '046 | + '022 | + '044 | + '037 | + 2 | + 2 | + 3 | + 2 |
| Trichinopoly . | - '017 | + '019 | - '021 | - '019 | - 6 | - 21 | - 5 | - 4 |

The year.—The means for the whole year given in the final columns of Tables XI and XII show that—

1st.—The mean absolute and relative humidities of the year were normal or very slightly in defect in Burma, Bengal and Orissa, and slightly above it in Assam.

2nd.—The mean absolute and relative humidity values of the year were in considerable excess in the large area including Bihar, Chota Nagpur, the North-Western Provinces, the East Punjab, East Rajputana, Central India, Berar, the Central Provinces and the Deccan. The mean absolute humidity for this area averaged about 030" (or 5 per cent.) above the normal, and the mean relative humidity 3 in excess of the normal percentage (55).

3rd.—The mean absolute and relative humidities were on the mean of the year practically normal in the Indus Valley, North-West Rajputana and Baluchistan.

4th.—The mean humidity conditions of the year were in very slight excess and practically identi-

cal with the normal in Southern India, Mysore and Hyderabad.

These features were very persistent throughout the year. Thus, in the Upper Sub-Himalayas, the absolute and relative humidity values were above the normal for 10 out of 12 months and in the Deccan for 11 months out of the 12. The larger variations for the year hence represent abnormal conditions which were very persistent throughout the whole year.

The following gives the mean annual variations of these two elements of observation for each year from 1875 to 1894:—

| Annual variation of pressure of vapour. | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. | 1879. | 1880. | 1881. | 1882. | 1883. | 1884. |
|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| Annual variation of relative humidity. | 1885. | 1886. | 1887. | 1888. | 1889. | 1890. | 1891. | 1892. | 1893. | 1894. |
| | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| | −004 | −017 | +011 | +020 | −014 | −004 | +001 | −008 | −013 | −012 |
| | +001 | +008 | −012 | −005 | +003 | −003 | −007 | −002 | +007 | +013 |
| | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. | 1879. | 1880. | 1881. | 1882. | 1883. | 1884. |
| | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| | +1 | −1 | +1 | 0 | −1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | −1 | 0 |
| | 1885. | 1886. | 1887. | 1888. | 1889. | 1890. | 1891. | 1892. | 1893. | 1894. |
| | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " |
| | 0 | +1 | −1 | −1 | −1 | −1 | 0 | −1 | +3 | +2 |

Cloud.

Variation data of this element of meteorological observation for the year 1894 are given in Tables XV and XVI. Table XV gives mean variation data for the 18 meteorological areas adopted in the geographical summaries of

meteorological data in the Annual Reports previous to 1891, and Table XVI gives similar data for the ten meteorological provinces of India.

TABLE XV.—Geographical summary of the cloud data of Table II in the monthly weather reviews of 1894.

| METEOROLOGICAL AREA. | Number of stations. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| North-West Himalaya | 7 | +08 | +20 | −06 | −12 | −08 | +08 | +10 | +07 | +05 | −01 | +20 | +21 | +06 |
| Sikkim Himalaya, and Nepal. | 2 | −01 | +17 | −05 | −02 | +03 | +12 | +09 | +14 | +13 | +30 | +12 | +07 | +09 |
| Punjab Plains | 4 | +13 | +23 | −04 | −11 | −06 | +07 | +20 | +03 | +02 | −04 | +15 | +18 | +06 |
| Gangetic Plain | 9 | +03 | +21 | −03 | −02 | −09 | +12 | +01 | +15 | +04 | +18 | +12 | +13 | +07 |
| Western Rajputana | 2—3 | +01 | +09 | −12 | −14 | −02 | +05 | +09 | +02 | −02 | −03 | −01 | +02 | −01 |
| Eastern Rajputana and Central India. | 4 | +02 | +13 | −04 | −03 | −10 | +16 | +05 | +05 | +06 | +12 | +03 | +11 | +05 |
| Nerbudda Valley | 2—3 | 0 | +08 | +10 | +06 | −10 | +14 | +06 | +05 | +17 | +18 | −01 | +03 | +04 |
| Chota Nagpur | 1 | −06 | +22 | +10 | +18 | −04 | +17 | +03 | +10 | +16 | +38 | +16 | +03 | +12 |
| Lower Bengal | 5 | −07 | +09 | −02 | +07 | −04 | +05 | +03 | +06 | +10 | +18 | +02 | +06 | +04 |
| Assam and Cachar | 4 | −13 | +03 | −03 | 0 | +04 | +02 | +02 | +09 | +12 | +16 | +03 | +01 | +03 |
| Orissa and Sambalpur. | 2 | −02 | +04 | −02 | +11 | +01 | +10 | +05 | +02 | +05 | +18 | +01 | −07 | +04 |

TABLE XV.—*Geographical summary of the cloud data of Table II in the monthly weather reviews of 1894—concl'd.*

| METEOROLOGICAL AREA. | Number of stations. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| Central Provinces, (South) and Berar. | 5 | +0.3 | +0.5 | +0.8 | +0.9 | -0.2 | +0.9 | -0.1 | -0.7 | +0.7 | +0.7 | +0.1 | +0.5 | +0.4 |
| Konkan | 3 | -0.4 | -0.4 | +0.6 | +0.6 | -0.3 | -0.3 | +0.1 | +0.4 | +0.5 | +1.5 | -0.2 | -0.2 | +0.2 |
| Malabar Coast . . . | 1 | -0.4 | -1.1 | -0.2 | +0.3 | -1.8 | +0.3 | +0.5 | +1.2 | -0.1 | -0.7 | -0.8 | -0.8 | -0.3 |
| Deccan, Hyderabad and Mysore. | 5 | 0 | -0.1 | +0.6 | +0.9 | -0.1 | +0.4 | +0.3 | +0.5 | +0.5 | +1.0 | +0.1 | -0.8 | +0.3 |
| East Coast and Carnatic. | 4 | +0.4 | +0.3 | +0.2 | +0.8 | -1.0 | -0.1 | 0 | +0.6 | +0.7 | +0.2 | +0.4 | -0.7 | +0.2 |
| Arakan and Pegu . . | 4 | -0.8 | -0.1 | +0.3 | +0.2 | +1.6 | +1.1 | +1.0 | +0.7 | +1.0 | +0.7 | -0.6 | +0.6 | +0.5 |
| Bay Islands | 1 | +0.6 | +0.2 | +0.7 | +1.8 | +1.7 | +2.0 | +1.8 | +1.8 | +2.1 | +1.8 | +0.6 | +0.6 | +1.3 |
| Extra Tropical . . . | 41-42 | +0.1 | +1.5 | -0.3 | -0.3 | -0.6 | +0.9 | +0.7 | +0.8 | +0.7 | +1.2 | +0.9 | +1.1 | +0.1 |
| Tropical | 25 | 0 | +0.1 | +0.4 | +0.8 | 0 | +0.6 | +0.3 | +0.4 | +0.7 | +0.8 | 0 | -0.2 | +0.6 |
| Whole of India . . . | 66-67 | +0.1 | +1.0 | 0 | +0.1 | -0.4 | +0.9 | +0.5 | +0.6 | +0.7 | +1.0 | +0.6 | +0.6 | +0.5 |

TABLE XVI.—*Variation of the mean cloud amount from the normal in ten meteorological provinces of India in 1894.*

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | Year. |
|--|----------|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|----------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands . | -0.5 | -0.1 | +0.4 | +0.9 | +1.8 | +1.4 | +1.2 | +0.9 | +1.2 | +0.7 | -0.4 | +0.2 | +0.6 |
| Assam | -1.7 | 0 | -0.6 | -0.3 | +0.3 | -0.2 | -0.3 | +0.6 | +1.0 | +1.4 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bengal and Orissa . . . | -0.5 | +0.6 | -0.2 | +0.6 | -0.1 | +0.7 | +0.4 | +0.6 | +0.9 | +1.8 | +0.1 | +0.3 | +0.4 |
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur. | -0.3 | +2.1 | 0 | +0.4 | -1.0 | +1.0 | -0.2 | +1.2 | +0.7 | +3.0 | +1.1 | +0.5 | +0.7 |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas . . | +1.2 | +2.3 | -0.5 | -0.8 | -0.8 | +1.0 | +1.2 | +1.2 | +0.3 | +0.1 | +1.6 | +2.5 | +0.8 |
| Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. | +0.7 | +1.7 | -0.7 | -1.3 | -0.3 | +0.7 | +1.6 | +0.1 | -0.1 | -0.5 | +0.7 | +0.9 | +0.3 |
| East Rajputana, Central India and Gujarat. | +0.4 | +1.3 | -0.6 | -0.3 | -0.6 | +1.6 | +0.6 | +0.7 | +0.5 | +0.7 | +0.2 | +1.1 | +0.5 |
| Deccan | 0 | +0.4 | +0.6 | +0.5 | -0.5 | +1.1 | +0.5 | -0.1 | +0.9 | +1.2 | -0.1 | 0 | +0.4 |
| West Coast | -0.4 | -0.6 | +0.4 | +0.6 | -0.7 | +0.3 | +0.2 | +0.6 | +0.4 | +1.0 | -0.4 | -0.6 | +0.1 |
| South India | +0.2 | +0.1 | +0.3 | +0.9 | -0.8 | +0.2 | +0.2 | +0.6 | +0.5 | +0.4 | +0.6 | -0.8 | +0.2 |

The following gives a brief statement of the chief features of the mean distribution of cloud in each period. In the tables the average or comparative data are given for the larger political divisions in order to present the facts from a slightly different point of view from that in Tables XV and XVI.

I.—The Cold weather period.—The variations of the cloud amount from the normal in this period were similar in character to those of the humidity conditions over nearly the whole of India.

(1) There was slightly less cloud than usual in Burma, Assam, Bengal and Orissa, the deficiency being moderate in amount in January and small in Burma in February. There was somewhat more cloud than

usual in Bengal in February. The following gives mean data for the period :—

| PROVINCE OR AREA. | MEAN CLOUD AMOUNT, COLD WEATHER PERIOD, 1894. | | |
|---------------------------|---|---------|------------------------|
| | Actual. | Normal. | Variation from normal. |
| Port Blair (Andamans) . . | 3.5 | 3.1 | +0.4 |
| Burma | 1.4 | 2.0 | -0.6 |
| Assam | 2.6 | 3.5 | -0.9 |
| Bengal | 1.8 | 1.8 | 0 |
| Orissa | 2.2 | 2.1 | +0.1 |

(2) Cloud was largely in excess in the area of largely increased humidity including Bihar, Chota Nagpur, the North-Western Provinces, Punjab, Sind, British Baluchistan, Rajputana, Central India, Berar and the Central Provinces (more especially the northern districts) as is shown in the following table:—

| DIVISION. | MEAN CLOUD AMOUNT, COLD WEATHER PERIOD, 1894. | | |
|------------------------------------|---|---------|------------------------|
| | Actual. | Normal. | Variation from normal. |
| Bihar. | 2'4 | 2'1 | +0'3 |
| Chota Nagpur | 3'0 | 2'2 | +0'8 |
| N.-W. Provinces and Oudh | 4'2 | 2'7 | +1'5 |
| Punjab | 5'5 | 3'7 | +1'8 |
| Sind | 4'0 | 3'0 | +1'0 |
| Rajputana | 3'2 | 2'6 | +0'6 |
| Central India | 3'6 | 2'7 | +0'9 |
| Berar | 1'9 | 1'8 | +0'1 |
| Central Provinces | 2'1 | 1'6 | +0'5 |

(3) Skies were also more densely clouded than usual at the hill stations in North-Western and Central India. The following shows the excess in the mean cloud amount of the period for six stations:—

| STATION. | MEAN CLOUD AMOUNT, COLD WEATHER PERIOD, 1894. | | |
|---------------------|---|---------|------------------------|
| | Actual. | Normal. | Variation from normal. |
| Quetta | 4'9 | 4'2 | +0'7 |
| Leh | 7'8 | 6'6 | +1'2 |
| Murree | 7'0 | 5'7 | +1'3 |
| Simla | 6'9 | 5'3 | +1'6 |
| Ranikhet | 5'9 | 4'2 | +1'7 |
| Pachmarhi | 2'3 | 2'1 | +0'2 |

(4) Cloud was normal or in slight excess in the Deccan and in North and Central Madras. Data are given below for three stations in these areas:—

| STATION. | MEAN CLOUD AMOUNT, COLD WEATHER PERIOD, 1894. | | |
|--------------------|---|---------|------------------------|
| | Actual. | Normal. | Variation from normal. |
| Sholapur | 1'6 | 1'8 | -0'2 |
| Madras | 3'7 | 3'3 | +0'4 |
| Bellary | 3'5 ² | 1'7 | +1'8 ² |

(5) Skies were even more free from cloud than usual in the west coast districts and in Mysore and South Madras. The following gives data for six stations in that area:—

| STATION. | MEAN CLOUD AMOUNT, COLD WEATHER PERIOD, 1894. | | |
|------------------------|---|---------|------------------------|
| | Actual. | Normal. | Variation from normal. |
| Bombay | 0'4 | 1'4 | -1'0 |
| Ratnagiri | 0'9 | 0'5 | +0'4 |
| Karwar | 0'3 | 0'8 | -0'5 |
| Cochin | 1'3 | 2'1 | -0'8 |
| Trichinopoly | 3'0 | 3'5 | -0'5 |
| Bangalore | 1'5 | 2'5 | -1'0 |

II.—The hot weather period.—This was the only period of the year 1894 in which there was, on the whole, less cloud than usual. March was more serene than usual, except in Burma and the Peninsula. Skies were unusually free from cloud in Upper India in April, and over the whole of India, with the exception of Assam, East Bengal and Burma, in May. The mean cloud amount of May was in large excess in Burma. The following table gives variation data of each month and of the period for the larger political divisions:—

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | VARIATION OF MEAN CLOUD AMOUNT FROM NORMAL IN | | | |
|------------------------------------|---|-------------|-----------|-----------------|
| | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. | Mean of period. |
| Burma | +0'4 | +0'6 | +1'8 | +0'9 |
| Assam | -0'8 | -0'3 | +0'3 | -0'3 |
| Bengal and Orissa | -0'2 | +0'8 | -0'1 | +0'2 |
| Bihar and Chota Nagpur | 0 | +0'8 | -1'1 | -0'1 |
| N.-W. Provinces and Oudh | -0'2 | -0'1 | -0'7 | -0'3 |
| Punjab | -0'4 | -1'0 | -0'6 | -0'7 |
| Rajputana | -0'8 | -0'6 | -0'7 | -0'7 |
| Sind | -1'3 | -1'7 | +0'1 | -1'0 |
| Central India | -0'1 | -0'1 | -1'3 | -0'5 |
| Central Provinces | -0'7 | +0'8 | -0'6 | -0'2 |
| Bombay | +0'3 | +0'5 | -0'4 | +0'1 |
| Madras | +0'4 | +1'1 | -0'7 | +0'3 |

III.—The south-west monsoon period.—Skies were more clouded than usual during this period, and the mean monthly cloud estimates were above the normal throughout the whole period, in all divisions with the exception of Assam and North Bengal in June and

July. The excess was largest absolutely in Burma, Chota Nagpur, the North-Western Provinces and Central Provinces, and relatively to the normal, in the Punjab and the North-Western Provinces. The following gives monthly variation data of this element for the larger political divisions :—

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | VARIATION OF MEAN CLOUD AMOUNT FROM NORMAL IN | | | | |
|--------------------------|---|------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | June 1894. | July 1894. | August 1894. | September 1894. | Mean of period. |
| Burma | +1'1 | +1'0 | +0'6 | +0'9 | +0'9 |
| Bengal | +0'6 | +0'4 | +0'7 | +1'1 | +0'7 |
| Assam | -0'2 | -0'3 | +0'6 | +1'0 | +0'3 |
| Bihar | +0'8 | -0'8 | +1'1 | +0'5 | +0'4 |
| Chota Nagpur . . | +1'7 | +0'3 | +1'0 | +1'6 | +1'2 |
| N.-W. Provinces and Oudh | +1'3 | +0'4 | +1'6 | +0'4 | +0'9 |
| Punjab | +0'7 | +2'0 | +0'3 | +0'2 | +0'8 |
| Sind | +0'6 | +1'1 | +0'3 | -0'3 | +0'4 |
| Rajputana . . . | +1'4 | +0'7 | +0'2 | +0'6 | +0'7 |
| Central India . . | +1'2 | +0'4 | +0'7 | +0'6 | +0'7 |
| Central Provinces . | +1'6 | +0'8 | +0'6 | +1'1 | +1'0 |
| Bombay | +0'4 | +0'3 | +0'5 | +0'5 | +0'4 |
| Madras | +0'1 | +0'2 | +0'5 | +0'5 | +0'3 |

In the following table is a comparative statement showing the mean actual and normal amount of cloud in each of these divisions, and the variation of the actual from the normal for the whole period :—

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | MEAN CLOUD AMOUNT DURING THE SOUTH-WEST MONSOON PERIOD, 1894. | | | |
|---------------------------|---|---------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Actual. | Normal. | Variation from normal. | Percentage variation. |
| Burma | 8'9 | 8'0 | +0'9 | +11 |
| Bengal | 8'4 | 7'7 | +0'7 | +9 |
| Assam | 8'0 | 7'7 | +0'3 | +4 |
| Bihar | 6'9 | 6'5 | +0'4 | +6 |
| Chota Nagpur . . | 9'4 | 8'2 | +1'2 | +15 |
| N.-W. Provinces and Oudh. | 6'5 | 5'6 | +0'9 | +16 |
| Punjab | 3'7 | 2'9 | +0'8 | +28 |
| Sind | 3'9 | 3'5 | +0'4 | +11 |
| Rajputana . . . | 6'3 | 5'6 | +0'7 | +13 |
| Central India . . | 7'2 | 6'5 | +0'7 | +11 |
| Central Provinces . | 8'0 | 7'0 | +1'0 | +14 |
| Bombay | 8'1 | 7'7 | +0'4 | +5 |
| Madras | 7'0 | 6'7 | +0'3 | +4 |

The only large and noteworthy abnormal local feature was the deficiency of cloud in Assam, North Bengal and Bihar in the months of June and July, which is partially indicated by the following :—

| STATION. | JUNE. | | JULY. | |
|------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| | Actual cloud amount. | Percentage variation. | Actual cloud amount. | Percentage variation. |
| Darbhanga . . . | 5'9 | +26 | 5'9 | -6 |
| Dhubri | 7'2 | -1 | 7'4 | +7 |
| Sibsagar | 7'6 | -10 | 6'9 | -19 |

IV.—The retreating south-west monsoon period.—This period, as the preceding, was much more cloudy than usual. Cloud was in excess in October over the whole of India except Upper India and Baluchistan, and the excess was very large in the Gangetic plain. There was somewhat less cloud than usual in Burma and the west coast districts, and a large excess in November in the Gangetic plain. There was less cloud than usual in Southern India, the South Deccan and the west coast districts in December and more than usual in the remainder of India; but the excess was large only in the Punjab, the North-Western Provinces, the hill districts of Upper India, Sind and Rajputana. The following gives variation data for the larger political divisions for each month and for the whole period :—

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | VARIATION OF MEAN CLOUD AMOUNT FROM NORMAL IN | | | |
|---------------------------|---|----------------|----------------|-----------------|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Mean of period. |
| Burma | +0'4 | -0'7 | 0 | -0'1 |
| Bengal | +1'8 | +0'1 | +0'6 | +0'8 |
| Assam | +1'4 | 0 | 0 | +0'5 |
| Bihar | +2'2 | +0'7 | +0'2 | +1'0 |
| Chota Nagpur . . | +3'8 | +1'6 | +0'3 | +1'9 |
| N.-W. Provinces and Oudh. | +1'8 | +1'4 | +1'7 | +1'6 |
| Punjab | -0'4 | +1'5 | +1'8 | +1'0 |
| Sind | -0'5 | +0'2 | +0'7 | +0'1 |
| Rajputana . . . | +0'4 | -0'1 | +0'9 | +0'4 |
| Central India . . | +1'8 | +0'3 | +0'5 | +0'9 |
| Central Provinces . | +1'3 | +0'1 | +0'3 | +0'6 |
| Bombay | +1'0 | -0'6 | -0'7 | -0'1 |
| Madras | +0'4 | +0'8 | -0'4 | +0'3 |

Comparative data showing mean actual and normal cloud amounts are given for the same divisions in the following table :—

| POLITICAL DIVISION. | MEAN CLOUD AMOUNT OF THE RETREATING SOUTH-WEST MONSOON PERIOD, 1894. | | |
|------------------------------------|--|---------|------------------------|
| | Actual. | Normal. | Variation from normal. |
| Burma | 4'0 | 4'1 | —0'1 |
| Bengal | 3'8 | 3'0 | +0'8 |
| Assam | 4'0 | 3'5 | +0'5 |
| Bihar | 3'0 | 2'0 | +1'0 |
| Chota Nagpur | 4'8 | 2'9 | +1'9 |
| N.-W. Provinces and Oudh | 3'0 | 1'4 | +1'6 |
| Punjab | 2'6 | 1'6 | +1'0 |
| Sind | 1'4 | 1'3 | +0'1 |
| Rajputana | 1'9 | 1'5 | +0'4 |
| Central India | 2'6 | 1'7 | +0'9 |
| Central Provinces | 2'4 | 1'8 | +0'6 |
| Bombay | 3'4 | 3'5 | —0'1 |
| Madras | 5'4 | 5'1 | +0'3 |

The most noteworthy features of the period were the large excess of cloud in the Gangetic Plain and Bengal in October and in Upper India and Baluchistan in December.

Year.—The mean cloud amount of the year was normal

in Assam and in excess over the remainder of India. The excess was small in the Peninsula to the south of Lat. 15° N., and was large in amount in Northern India (more especially the Punjab, the North-Western Provinces, Bihar and Chota Nagpur) and Burma. It was above the normal for the whole of India in three out of the four periods into which the year is divided, and was below it only in the hot weather. The following gives a brief summary of the data for the whole year :—

| AREA. | VARIATION OF MEAN CLOUD AMOUNT FROM NORMAL IN | | | | |
|--------------------------------|---|------------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| | I Period. | II Period. | III Period. | IV Period. | Whole year. |
| Tropical India | +0'1 | +0'4 | +0'5 | +0'2 | +0'6 |
| Extra-Tropical India | +0'8 | —0'4 | +0'8 | +1'1 | +0'1 |
| Whole India | +0'6 | —0'1 | +0'7 | +0'7 | +0'5 |

The following table gives the variation of the mean amount of cloud in the Indian area, year by year, from 1875 to 1894 :—

| YEAR. | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. | 1879. | 1880. | 1881. | 1882. | 1883. | 1884. |
|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Annual variation of cloud amount. | 0 | —0'2 | +0'3 | +0'1 | —0'1 | —0'1 | —0'1 | 0 | +0'1 | —0'1 |
| | 1885. | 1886. | 1887. | 1888. | 1889. | 1890. | 1891. | 1892. | 1893. | 1894. |
| | +0'2 | +0'2 | —0'1 | —0'1 | +0' | +0'2 | +0' | +0'1 | +0'5 | +0'5 |

Rainfall.

The rainfall data of India are now issued in a separate volume. The fourth volume, that of 1894, contains the rainfall data of 2,180 stations, which are classified under their respective administrative divisions according to the following scheme :—

| PROVINCE. | Number of stations. |
|--|---------------------|
| Burma | 132 |
| Assam | 99 |
| Bengal, Bihar, Chota Nagpur and Orissa | 324 |
| N.-W. Provinces and Oudh | 271 |
| Punjab | 203 |
| Bombay | 279 |
| Madras | 353 |
| Coorg | 9 |
| Central Provinces | 65 |
| Berar | 44 |

| PROVINCE. | Number of stations. |
|------------------------------|---------------------|
| Mysore | 79 |
| Baluchistan | 54 |
| Kashmir | 12 |
| Rajputana | 124 |
| Central India | 54 |
| Hyderabad (Deccan) | 24 |
| Travancore | 39 |
| Cochin | 3 |
| Pudukota | 12 |

The volume contains the whole of the available information for the year 1894 of this important element of meteorological observation.

The information includes monthly statements of—

- the actual rainfall day by day;
- the total of the month;

- (c) the number of rainy days during the month ;
- (d) the average or normal rainfall of the month for all stations for which rainfall data for at least five years are available ;
- (e) the average or normal number of rainy days of the month for all stations for which rainfall data for five years or upwards are available ;
- (f) the accumulated rainfall (up to the date of each statement) throughout each of the seasons into which the year is divided.

Symon's rain-gauges are now used at all rain-gauge stations, with the exception of those in Mysore. The hour of measuring rainfall is 8 A.M. throughout India, and the amounts registered give the rainfall of the previous 24 hours, and hence generally of the rainfall of the previous civil day.

The following tables give summaries of the rainfall data of the year. In the first two tables (Tables XVII and XVIII) the summaries are drawn up in the form that was used for many years in the Annual Reports issued by the

Department and are based on the rainfall returns of 385 selected stations. In the two succeeding tables (Tables XIX and XX) the actual average rainfall data (derived from the returns of the 2,180 rain gauge stations in India) are given for the 52 meteorological districts into which the Empire is divided for the comparison of crops and rainfall, for the four periods into which the year may be divided. The four periods are as follows :—

1st.—From January 1st to February 28th, which forms the period of the cold weather rains of Upper India.

2nd.—From March 1st to May 31st, which includes the hot season, when rain occurs mainly in the coast districts, and in Assam during thunderstorms.

3rd.—From June 1st to October 31st, which forms the period of the south-west monsoon rains proper.

4th.—From November 1st to December 31st, which includes the period of the so-called north-east monsoon rains of Southern India, more especially of the Coromandel coast districts.

TABLE XVII.—*Geographical Summary of Rainfall Anomalies in 1894.*

| METEOROLOGICAL DIVISION. | Area, square miles. | Number of Stations. | Normal rainfall. | Actual rainfall, 1894. | Mean excess or defect. | Total excess, square miles, $\times 1$ inch. | Total defect, square miles, $\times 1$ inch. |
|---|---------------------|---------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--|--|
| | | | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | | |
| I Punjab Plains | 120,000 | 29 | 21'52 | 29'75 | + 8'23 | 987,600 | ... |
| II North-Western Provinces and Oudh | 83,500 | 45 | 37'49 | 59'14 | + 21'65 | 1,807,775 | ... |
| III Rajputana | 67,000 | 19 | 28'42 | 29'80 | + 1'38 | 92,460 | ... |
| IV. Central India States | 91,000 | 20 | 42'01 | 52'94 | + 10'93 | 994,630 | ... |
| V. Bihar | 39,000 | 15 | 45'01 | 56'11 | + 11'10 | 333,000 | ... |
| VI. Western Bengal | 38,000 | 10 | 49'39 | 61'48 | + 12'09 | 459,420 | ... |
| VII. Lower Bengal | 54,000 | 28 | 66'64 | 65'84 | — 0'80 | ... | 43,200 |
| VIII. Assam and Cachar | 61,000 | 16 | 96'39 | 101'63 | + 5'24 | 319,640 | ... |
| IX. Orissa and Northern Circars | 27,000 | 16 | 48'00 | 48'63 | + 0'63 | 17,010 | ... |
| X. Central Provinces, South | 61,000 | 18 | 51'38 | 58'22 | + 6'84 | 417,240 | ... |
| XI. Berar and Khandesh | 43,000 | 13 | 35'96 | 39'67 | + 3'71 | 159,530 | ... |
| XII. Gujarat | 54,500 | 12 | 33'03 | 51'58 | + 18'55 | 1,010,975 | ... |
| XIII. Sind and Cutch | 68,000 | 10 | 8'49 | 13'58 | + 5'09 | 346,120 | ... |
| XIV. North Deccan | 48,000 | 13 | 30'54 | 29'80 | — 0'74 | ... | 35,520 |
| XV. Konkan and Ghâts | 16,000 | 11 | 138'92 | 146'69 | + 7'77 | 124,320 | ... |
| XVI. Malabar and Ghâts | 18,000 | 8 | 113'89 | 110'59 | — 3'30 | ... | 59,400 |
| XVII. Hyderabad | 74,000 | 15 | 32'71 | 35'41 | + 2'70 | 199,800 | ... |
| XVIII. Mysore and Bellary | 58,000 | 18 | 29'52 | 28'78 | — 0'74 | ... | 42,920 |
| XIX. Carnatic | 72,000 | 38 | 36'05 | 34'96 | — 1'10 | ... | 79,200 |
| XX. Arakan | 11,000 | 7 | 148'04 | 161'00 | + 12'96 | 142,560 | 260,240 |
| XXI. Pegu | 32,500 | 7 | 71'95 | 70'54 | — 1'41 | ... | 45,825 |
| XXII. Tenasserim | 10,500 | 4 | 172'38 | 198'12 | + 25'74 | 270,270 | ... |
| XXIII. Upper Burma | ? | 13 | 38'73 | 47'30 | + 8'57 | ... | ... |

On the mean of the whole area represented in the above table there was an excess of 6·48 inches or, excluding the Burmese Peninsula, 6·47 inches.

TABLE XVIII.—Geographical Summary of the distribution of rainfall in 1894, according to seasons.

| METEOROLOGICAL DISTRICT. | JANUARY AND FEBRUARY. | | | MARCH TO MAY. | | | JUNE TO OCTOBER. | | | NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER. | | |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-------------|------------------|-----------------------|-------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| | Normal Average. | Actual Average, 1894. | Difference. | Normal Average. | Actual Average, 1894. | Difference. | Normal Average. | Actual Average, 1894. | Difference. | Normal Average. | Actual Average, 1894. | Difference. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| North-West Himalayas | 6·17 | 11·26 | + 5·09 | 7·61 | 6·83 | — 0·78 | 40·53 | 63·56 | + 23·03 | 1·75 | 5·59 | + 3·84 |
| Punjab Plains | 2·08 | 4·24 | + 2·16 | 2·54 | 2·52 | — 0·02 | 16·13 | 21·00 | + 4·87 | 0·77 | 2·00 | + 1·23 |
| North-Western Provinces and Oudh | 1·41 | 2·43 | + 1·02 | 1·42 | 0·64 | — 0·78 | 35·25 | 54·32 | + 19·07 | 0·38 | 3·19 | + 2·81 |
| Rajputana | 0·46 | 0·80 | + 0·34 | 0·74 | 0·38 | — 0·36 | 21·51 | 23·74 | + 2·23 | 0·22 | 1·16 | + 0·94 |
| Central India States | 0·91 | 1·46 | + 0·55 | 0·78 | 0·26 | — 0·52 | 41·88 | 52·40 | + 10·52 | 0·67 | 1·79 | + 1·12 |
| Bihar | 1·17 | 0·99 | — 0·18 | 2·54 | 0·57 | — 1·97 | 40·47 | 52·52 | + 12·05 | 0·31 | 1·71 | + 1·40 |
| Western Bengal and Chota Nagpur | 1·28 | 0·57 | — 0·71 | 3·48 | 1·16 | — 2·32 | 46·49 | 59·77 | + 13·28 | 0·72 | 1·43 | + 0·71 |
| Lower Bengal | 1·41 | 0·46 | — 0·95 | 10·40 | 8·06 | — 2·34 | 53·63 | 53·11 | — 0·52 | 0·71 | 3·40 | + 2·69 |
| Eastern Himalayas | 1·56 | 1·34 | — 0·22 | 18·12 | 17·95 | — 0·17 | 111·11 | 106·28 | — 4·83 | 0·46 | 0·76 | + 0·30 |
| Assam and Eastern Bengal | 1·92 | 2·25 | + 0·33 | 26·16 | 22·94 | — 3·22 | 87·78 | 74·07 | — 13·71 | 1·28 | 3·00 | + 1·72 |
| Orissa and Northern Circars | 0·68 | 0·49 | — 0·19 | 4·36 | 2·65 | — 1·71 | 43·73 | 48·43 | + 4·70 | 2·86 | 2·15 | — 0·71 |
| Central Provinces, South | 0·82 | 0·68 | — 0·14 | 1·80 | 0·37 | — 1·43 | 48·34 | 57·09 | + 8·75 | 0·93 | 1·56 | + 0·63 |
| Berar and Khandesh | 0·47 | 0·35 | — 0·12 | 0·99 | 0·59 | — 0·40 | 35·29 | 38·06 | + 2·77 | 1·37 | 0·67 | — 0·70 |
| Gujarat | 0·20 | 0·11 | — 0·09 | 0·41 | 0·16 | — 0·25 | 31·21 | 50·77 | + 19·56 | 0·31 | 0·15 | — 0·16 |
| Sind and Cutch | 0·50 | 1·27 | + 0·77 | 0·50 | 0·05 | — 0·45 | 7·88 | 14·31 | + 6·43 | 0·22 | 0·10 | — 0·12 |
| North Deccan | 0·20 | 0·36 | + 0·16 | 3·13 | 4·00 | + 0·87 | 25·53 | 25·20 | — 0·33 | 1·69 | 0·25 | — 1·44 |
| Konkan and Ghâts | 0·28 | 0·18 | — 0·10 | 1·65 | 0·63 | — 1·02 | 140·16 | 141·33 | + 1·17 | 1·12 | 0·06 | — 1·06 |
| Malabar and Ghâts | 0·51 | 0·45 | — 0·06 | 11·09 | 12·34 | + 1·25 | 98·08 | 96·07 | — 2·01 | 4·22 | 1·74 | — 2·48 |
| Hyderabad | 0·16 | 0·48 | + 0·32 | 1·91 | 1·12 | — 0·79 | 29·03 | 32·64 | + 3·61 | 1·74 | 1·55 | — 0·19 |
| Ceded Districts and Mysore | 0·25 | 0·18 | — 0·07 | 4·65 | 6·33 | + 1·68 | 21·51 | 20·69 | — 0·82 | 2·80 | 1·59 | — 1·21 |
| Carnatic | 0·98 | 1·47 | + 0·49 | 4·15 | 4·28 | + 0·13 | 20·89 | 21·32 | + 0·43 | 10·76 | 7·88 | — 2·88 |
| Nilgiris | 1·42 | 2·62 | + 1·20 | 9·28 | 13·21 | + 3·93 | 25·42 | 20·34 | — 5·08 | 12·52 | 5·11 | — 7·41 |
| Arakan | 1·01 | 0·57 | — 0·44 | 15·09 | 26·29 | + 11·20 | 128·90 | 131·43 | + 2·53 | 3·08 | 2·71 | — 0·37 |
| Pegu | 0·24 | 0 | — 0·24 | 7·96 | 11·41 | + 3·45 | 66·50 | 66·46 | — 0·04 | 3·11 | 0·67 | — 2·44 |
| Tenasserim | 0·93 | 0·74 | — 0·19 | 20·91 | 29·72 | + 8·81 | 148·10 | 166·02 | + 17·92 | 2·35 | 1·64 | — 0·71 |
| Upper Burma | 0·40 | 0·09 | — 0·31 | 5·49 | 6·76 | + 1·27 | 30·85 | 36·64 | + 5·79 | 1·29 | 2·04 | + 0·75 |
| Bay Islands | 2·19 | 0·29 | — 1·90 | 18·59 | 28·05 | + 9·46 | 81·25 | 61·55 | — 19·70 | 14·64 | 2·88 | — 11·76 |

TABLE XIX.—Average rainfall data of the 52 meteorological divisions in India for the four seasons of the year 1894 and for the whole year.

| PROVINCE. | Division. | JANUARY AND FEBRUARY. | | | MARCH TO MAY. | | | JUNE TO OCTOBER. | | | NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER. | | | WHOLE YEAR. | | |
|--|---|---------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|
| | | Average actual rain-fall. | Average normal rain-fall. | Variation of actual from normal. | Average actual rain-fall. | Average normal rain-fall. | Variation of actual from normal. | Average actual rain-fall. | Average normal rain-fall. | Variation of actual from normal. | Average actual rain-fall. | Average normal rain-fall. | Variation of actual from normal. | Average actual rain-fall. | Average normal rain-fall. | Variation of actual from normal. |
| BURMA. | Tenasserim | 1'35 | 0'26 | +1'09 | 34'88 | 24'65 | +10'23 | 196'61 | 157'75 | +38'86 | 0'29 | 1'59 | -1'30 | 233'13 | 184'25 | +48'88 |
| | Lower Burma | 0 | 0'37 | -0'37 | 16'64 | 12'71 | +3'93 | 81'77 | 84'01 | -2'24 | 0'84 | 3'95 | -3'11 | 99'25 | 101'04 | -1'79 |
| | Central do. | 0'02 | 0'12 | -0'10 | 11'86 | 10'09 | +1'77 | 63'38 | 73'11 | -9'73 | 0'53 | 2'99 | -2'46 | 75'79 | 86'31 | -10'52 |
| | Upper do. | 0'11 | ? | ? | 7'31 | ? | ? | 37'71 | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | 47'56 | ? | ? |
| | Arakan | 0'05 | 0'20 | -0'15 | 18'00 | 19'90 | -1'90 | 147'00 | 155'41 | -8'41 | 0'98 | 4'09 | -3'11 | 166'03 | 179'60 | -13'57 |
| BENGAL AND ASSAM. | Eastern Bengal | 1'00 | 1'58 | -0'58 | 19'51 | 16'29 | +3'22 | 71'77 | 70'16 | +1'61 | 3'77 | 1'57 | +2'20 | 96'05 | 89'60 | +6'45 |
| | Assam (Surma) | 3'08 | 1'97 | +1'11 | 46'34 | 37'65 | +8'69 | 99'11 | 85'38 | +13'73 | 6'62 | 1'53 | +5'09 | 155'15 | 126'53 | +28'62 |
| | Do. (Brahmaputra) | 2'81 | 2'38 | +0'43 | 25'14 | 23'77 | +1'37 | 71'41 | 59'92 | +11'49 | 2'06 | 0'06 | +1'10 | 101'42 | 87'03 | +14'39 |
| | Deltaic Bengal | 0'55 | 1'63 | -1'08 | 6'98 | 10'56 | -3'58 | 48'35 | 48'91 | -0'56 | 5'09 | 0'62 | +4'47 | 60'97 | 61'72 | -0'75 |
| | Central do. | 0'47 | 1'18 | -0'71 | 4'15 | 7'37 | -3'22 | 52'67 | 48'42 | +4'25 | 2'25 | 0'42 | +1'83 | 59'54 | 57'39 | +2'15 |
| | North do. | 0'76 | 1'13 | -0'37 | 15'27 | 15'14 | +0'13 | 87'80 | 84'05 | +3'75 | 0'74 | 0'32 | +0'42 | 104'57 | 100'64 | +3'93 |
| | Orissa | 0'35 | 1'28 | -0'93 | 2'50 | 6'08 | -3'58 | 52'68 | 49'26 | +3'42 | 3'10 | 1'89 | +1'21 | 58'63 | 58'51 | +0'12 |
| | Chota Nagpur | 0'60 | 1'32 | -0'72 | 1'20 | 3'63 | -2'43 | 59'91 | 47'21 | +12'70 | 1'22 | 0'81 | +0'41 | 62'93 | 52'97 | +9'96 |
| NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES AND OUDH. | Bihar (South) | 0'84 | 1'05 | -0'21 | 0'57 | 2'42 | -1'85 | 53'27 | 39'21 | +14'06 | 1'49 | 0'44 | +1'05 | 56'17 | 43'12 | +13'05 |
| | Do. (North) | 0'73 | 1'05 | -0'32 | 1'84 | 4'30 | -2'46 | 53'45 | 45'70 | +7'75 | 0'91 | 0'23 | +0'68 | 56'93 | 51'28 | +5'65 |
| | North-Western Provinces (East) | 2'09 | 0'98 | +1'11 | 0'17 | 0'92 | -0'75 | 60'89 | 35'97 | +24'92 | 1'55 | 0'37 | +1'18 | 64'70 | 38'24 | +26'46 |
| | Oudh (South) | 2'40 | 0'95 | +1'45 | 0'14 | 0'99 | -0'85 | 58'76 | 33'72 | +25'04 | 3'68 | 0'43 | +3'25 | 64'68 | 36'09 | +28'59 |
| | Do. (North) | 2'23 | 1'09 | +1'14 | 0'24 | 1'55 | -1'31 | 64'64 | 35'89 | +28'75 | 2'58 | 0'42 | +2'16 | 69'69 | 38'95 | +30'74 |
| PUNJAB. | North-Western Provinces (Central) | 2'11 | 0'79 | +1'32 | 0'17 | 0'79 | -0'62 | 51'69 | 31'98 | +19'71 | 3'81 | 0'40 | +3'41 | 57'78 | 33'96 | +23'82 |
| | North-Western Provinces (West) | 1'98 | 0'84 | +1'14 | 0'32 | 0'89 | -0'57 | 33'39 | 26'76 | +6'63 | 2'30 | 0'38 | +1'92 | 37'99 | 28'87 | +9'12 |
| | North-Western Provinces (Submontane) | 3'93 | 2'58 | +1'35 | 1'70 | 2'80 | -1'10 | 63'25 | 41'93 | +21'32 | 3'45 | 0'52 | +2'93 | 72'33 | 47'83 | +24'50 |
| | Punjab (South) | 3'02 | 1'01 | +2'01 | 0'54 | 1'22 | -0'68 | 18'09 | 11'33 | +6'76 | 1'21 | 0'31 | +0'90 | 22'86 | 13'87 | +8'99 |
| | Do. (Central) | 3'47 | 1'23 | +2'24 | 0'80 | 1'47 | -0'67 | 23'67 | 17'95 | +5'72 | 2'56 | 0'34 | +2'22 | 30'50 | 20'99 | +9'51 |
| | Do. (Submontane) | 6'10 | 2'87 | +3'23 | 2'17 | 2'58 | -0'41 | 36'68 | 24'83 | +11'85 | 4'42 | 0'73 | +3'69 | 49'37 | 31'01 | +18'36 |
| | Do. (Hill Districts) | 13'33 | 6'55 | +6'78 | 7'60 | 8'43 | -0'83 | 71'03 | 45'43 | +25'60 | 9'76 | 1'60 | +8'16 | 101'72 | 62'01 | +39'71 |
| | Do. (North-West) | 5'88 | 3'54 | +2'34 | 3'91 | 4'02 | -0'11 | 19'72 | 15'00 | +4'72 | 0'73 | 1'04 | -0'31 | 30'24 | 23'60 | +6'64 |
| BOMBAY AND MALABAR COAST DISTRICTS (MADRAS). | Do. (West) | 2'15 | 1'05 | +1'10 | 2'19 | 1'60 | +0'59 | 7'01 | 6'09 | +1'52 | 0'30 | 0'28 | +0'02 | 12'25 | 9'02 | +3'23 |
| | Malabar | 0'32 | 0'35 | -0'03 | 10'76 | 9'88 | +0'88 | 105'84 | 112'09 | -6'25 | 1'48 | 4'81 | -3'33 | 118'40 | 127'13 | -8'73 |
| | Madras (South Central) | 0'79 | 0'25 | +0'54 | 6'53 | 6'06 | +0'47 | 18'71 | 18'12 | +0'59 | 2'21 | 5'13 | -2'92 | 28'24 | 29'56 | -1'32 |
| | Coorg | 0'02 | ? | ? | 9'50 | ? | ? | 67'82 | ? | ? | 1'54 | ? | ? | 78'88 | ? | ? |
| | Mysore | 0'12 | 0'17 | -0'05 | 7'21 | 5'15 | +2'06 | 22'10 | 25'93 | -3'83 | 0'97 | 3'19 | -2'22 | 30'40 | 34'44 | -4'04 |
| | Konkan | 0'13 | 0'12 | +0'01 | 0'92 | 2'08 | -1'16 | 113'22 | 111'86 | +1'36 | 0'10 | 1'24 | -1'14 | 114'37 | 115'30 | -0'93 |
| | Bombay Deccan | 0'33 | 0'10 | +0'23 | 1'57 | 2'81 | -1'24 | 32'42 | 31'61 | +0'81 | 0'38 | 1'87 | -1'49 | 34'70 | 36'39 | -1'69 |
| | Hyderabad (North) | 0'88 | 0'16 | +0'72 | 0'90 | 1'66 | -0'76 | 34'80 | 31'85 | +2'95 | 1'30 | 1'82 | -0'52 | 37'88 | 35'49 | +2'39 |
| CENTRAL PROVINCES AND BERAR. | Khandesh | 0'47 | 0'13 | +0'34 | 0'48 | 1'22 | -0'74 | 36'12 | 30'03 | +6'09 | 0'01 | 1'54 | -1'53 | 37'08 | 32'92 | +4'16 |
| | Berar | 0'24 | 0'59 | -0'35 | 0'62 | ? | ? | 37'58 | ? | ? | 1'13 | ? | ? | 39'57 | ? | ? |
| | Central Provinces (West) | 0'41 | 0'75 | -0'34 | 0'56 | 0'96 | -0'40 | 50'66 | 42'05 | +8'61 | 1'28 | 0'88 | +0'40 | 52'91 | 44'64 | +8'27 |
| | Do. (Central) | 1'16 | 0'77 | +0'39 | 0'35 | 1'27 | -0'92 | 56'19 | 48'90 | +7'29 | 1'39 | 0'70 | +0'69 | 59'09 | 51'64 | +7'45 |
| | Do. (East) | 0'64 | 0'81 | -0'17 | 0'18 | 1'91 | -1'73 | 61'03 | 46'43 | +14'60 | 1'64 | 0'78 | +0'86 | 63'49 | 49'93 | +13'56 |
| BOMBAY (NORTH). | Gujarat | 0'13 | 0'08 | +0'05 | 0'09 | 0'32 | -0'23 | 61'88 | 43'39 | +18'49 | 0'02 | 0'24 | -0'22 | 62'12 | 44'03 | +18'19 |
| | Kashiiwar | 0'11 | 0'14 | -0'03 | 0'16 | 0'37 | -0'21 | 44'93 | 27'32 | +17'61 | 0'17 | 0'27 | -0'10 | 45'37 | 28'10 | +17'27 |
| | Sind | 0'94 | 0'69 | +0'22 | 0'03 | 0'60 | -0'57 | 7'63 | 4'52 | +3'11 | 0'09 | 0'13 | -0'04 | 8'66 | 5'94 | +2'72 |
| RAJPUTANA AND CENTRAL INDIA. | Central India (East) | 1'26 | 0'94 | +0'32 | 0'16 | 0'73 | -0'57 | 46'13 | 42'25 | +3'88 | 1'74 | 0'94 | +0'80 | 49'29 | 44'86 | +4'43 |
| | Rajputana (East) and Central India (West) | 0'97 | 0'51 | +0'46 | 0'30 | 0'81 | -0'51 | 28'89 | 26'68 | +2'21 | 1'61 | 0'27 | +1'34 | 31'77 | 28'27 | +3'50 |
| | Rajputana (West) | 0'46 | 0'35 | +0'11 | 0'23 | 0'64 | -0'41 | 13'92 | 10'81 | +3'11 | 0'62 | 0'04 | +0'58 | 15'23 | 11'84 | +3'39 |
| MADRAS. | East Coast (North) | 0'75 | 0'41 | +0'34 | 2'56 | 3'28 | -0'72 | 37'93 | 32'58 | +5'35 | 2'22 | 4'26 | -2'04 | 43'46 | 40'53 | +2'93 |
| | Do. (do.) (a) | 0'91 | 0'26 | +0'65 | 5'98 | 4'88 | +1'10 | 58'41 | 51'93 | +6'48 | 2'45 | 3'14 | -0'79 | 67'75 | 60'21 | +7'54 |
| | Hyderabad (South) | 0'53 | 0'25 | +0'28 | 1'44 | 2'11 | -0'67 | 29'66 | 26'74 | +2'92 | 1'76 | 1'57 | +0'19 | 33'39 | 30'67 | +2'72 |
| | Madras (Central) | 0'21 | 0'08 | +0'13 | 2'38 | 2'48 | -0'10 | 21'34 | 21'10 | +0'24 | 1'72 | 2'73 | -1'01 | 25'65 | 26'39 | -0'74 |
| | East Coast (Central) | 0'81 | 0'67 | +0'14 | 1'40 | 2'06 | -0'66 | 22'80 | 20'52 | +2'28 | 7'25 | 11'94 | -4'69 | 32'26 | 35'19 | -2'93 |
| | Do. (South) | 1'84 | 0'78 | +1'06 | 3'49 | 4'21 | -0'72 | 22'91 | 23'63 | -0'72 | 9'56 | 13'79 | -4'23 | 37'80 | 42'41 | -4'61 |
| | Madras (South) | 0'70 | 1'18 | -0'48 | 6'13 | 5'12 | +1'01 | 11'43 | 12'43 | -1'00 | 8'41 | 11'14 | -2'73 | 26'67 | 29'87 | -3'20 |

TABLE XX.—Average actual and normal number of rainy days in the 52 meteorological divisions in India for the four seasons of the year 1894 and for the whole year.

| PROVINCE. | Division. | JANUARY AND FEBRUARY. | | | MARCH TO MAY. | | | JUNE TO OCTOBER. | | | NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER. | | | WHOLE YEAR. | | |
|--|--|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| | | Average actual number of rainy days. | Average normal number of rainy days. | Variation of actual from normal. | Average actual number of rainy days. | Average normal number of rainy days. | Variation of actual from normal. | Average actual number of rainy days. | Average normal number of rainy days. | Variation of actual from normal. | Average actual number of rainy days. | Average normal number of rainy days. | Variation of actual from normal. | Average actual number of rainy days. | Average normal number of rainy days. | Variation of actual from normal. |
| BURMA . | Tenasserim | 2'4 | ? | ? | 26'6 | ? | ? | 118'5 | ? | ? | 0'5 | ? | ? | 148'0 | ? | ? |
| | Lower Burma | 0 | ? | ? | 21'4 | ? | ? | 100'0 | ? | ? | 0'7 | ? | ? | 122'7 | ? | ? |
| | Central do. | 0 | ? | ? | 15'1 | ? | ? | 82'6 | ? | ? | 0'5 | ? | ? | 98'2 | ? | ? |
| | Upper do. | 0'4 | ? | ? | 12'6 | ? | ? | 53'1 | ? | ? | 4'2 | ? | ? | 70'3 | ? | ? |
| | Arakan | 0'2 | ? | ? | 17'3 | ? | ? | 108'3 | ? | ? | 2'0 | ? | ? | 127'8 | ? | ? |
| BENGAL AND ASSAM. | Eastern Bengal | 1'8 | 2'9 | -1'1 | 20'5 | 19'9 | +0'6 | 77'1 | 74'0 | +3'1 | 5'3 | 1'9 | +3'4 | 105'0 | 98'7 | +6'0 |
| | Assam (Surma) | 4'9 | 4'2 | +0'7 | 37'7 | 37'7 | 0 | 96'1 | 84'1 | +12'0 | 6'5 | 2'1 | +4'4 | 145'5 | 128'1 | +17'4 |
| | Do. (Brahmaputra) | 6'4 | 6'6 | -0'2 | 37'7 | 34'7 | -2'1 | 78'3 | 67'6 | +10'7 | 4'4 | 2'4 | +2'0 | 121'7 | 111'3 | +10'4 |
| | Deltaic Bengal | 1'2 | 2'7 | -1'5 | 10'4 | 14'2 | -3'8 | 67'9 | 63'1 | +4'8 | 4'0 | 1'4 | +2'6 | 83'5 | 81'4 | +2'1 |
| | Central do. | 1'3 | 2'3 | -1'0 | 7'2 | 10'9 | -3'7 | 66'4 | 60'9 | +5'5 | 2'9 | 1'0 | +1'9 | 77'8 | 75'1 | +2'7 |
| | North do. | 1'8 | 2'6 | -0'8 | 17'8 | 17'9 | -0'1 | 80'4 | 70'3 | +10'1 | 1'5 | 0'8 | +0'7 | 101'5 | 91'6 | +9'9 |
| | Orissa | 0'9 | 2'2 | -1'3 | 5'3 | 9'6 | -4'3 | 66'4 | 59'9 | +6'5 | 3'7 | 2'9 | +0'8 | 76'3 | 74'6 | +1'7 |
| | Chota Nagpur | 1'7 | 2'7 | -1'0 | 2'6 | 7'0 | -4'4 | 73'2 | 63'7 | +9'5 | 2'2 | 1'3 | +0'9 | 79'7 | 74'7 | +5'0 |
| | Bihar (South) | 2'6 | 2'5 | +0'1 | 1'4 | 4'1 | -2'7 | 61'5 | 47'2 | +14'3 | 1'5 | 0'8 | +0'7 | 67'0 | 54'6 | +12'4 |
| | Do. (North) | 1'5 | 2'4 | -0'9 | 3'5 | 6'2 | -2'7 | 59'6 | 49'4 | +10'2 | 1'4 | 0'7 | +0'7 | 66'0 | 58'7 | +7'3 |
| NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES AND OUDH. | North-Western Provinces (East). | 4'7 | 2'1 | +2'6 | 0'8 | 2'1 | -1'3 | 63'8 | 41'1 | +22'7 | 2'3 | 0'0 | +1'7 | 71'6 | 45'9 | +25'7 |
| | Oudh (South) | 4'9 | 2'0 | +2'9 | 0'9 | 3'3 | -2'4 | 54'6 | 37'8 | +16'8 | 4'0 | 0'7 | +3'3 | 64'4 | 43'8 | +20'6 |
| | Do. (North) | 4'9 | 2'1 | +2'8 | 0'8 | 2'5 | -1'7 | 57'3 | 38'1 | +19'2 | 3'7 | 0'7 | +3'0 | 66'7 | 43'4 | +23'3 |
| | North-Western Provinces (Central). | 5'3 | 1'9 | +3'4 | 0'5 | 2'8 | -2'3 | 50'9 | 35'3 | +15'6 | 4'5 | 0'5 | +4'0 | 61'2 | 40'5 | +20'7 |
| | North-Western Provinces (West). | 4'1 | 2'1 | +2'0 | 0'9 | 2'4 | -1'5 | 39'7 | 30'9 | +8'8 | 4'8 | 0'6 | +4'2 | 49'5 | 36'0 | +13'5 |
| | North-Western Provinces (Submontane). | 8'1 | 4'0 | +4'1 | 2'8 | 3'5 | -0'7 | 56'2 | 39'8 | +16'4 | 6'0 | 0'9 | +5'1 | 73'1 | 48'2 | +24'9 |
| PUNJAB . | Punjab (South) | 7'2 | 2'3 | +4'9 | 1'8 | 2'6 | -0'8 | 18'5 | 13'9 | +4'6 | 2'9 | 0'5 | +2'4 | 30'4 | 19'3 | +11'1 |
| | Do. (Central) | 6'9 | 2'7 | +4'2 | 2'6 | 3'3 | -0'7 | 27'9 | 19'4 | +8'5 | 4'8 | 0'6 | +4'2 | 42'2 | 26'0 | +16'2 |
| | Do. (Submontane) | 10'9 | 4'8 | +6'1 | 5'5 | 4'9 | +0'6 | 34'8 | 24'2 | +10'6 | 6'4 | 1'1 | +5'3 | 57'6 | 35'0 | +22'6 |
| | Do. (Hill Districts) | 19'1 | 8'7 | +10'4 | 12'8 | 13'2 | -0'4 | 58'8 | 46'0 | +12'8 | 11'6 | 2'2 | +9'4 | 102'3 | 70'1 | +32'2 |
| | Do. (North-West) | 10'6 | 5'5 | +5'1 | 8'7 | 6'9 | +1'8 | 22'2 | 17'5 | +4'7 | 2'3 | 1'3 | +1'0 | 43'8 | 31'2 | +12'6 |
| | Do. (West) | 5'9 | 2'4 | +3'5 | 4'0 | 3'3 | +0'7 | 10'6 | 8'2 | +2'4 | 1'2 | 0'5 | +0'7 | 21'7 | 14'4 | +7'3 |
| BOMBAY AND MALABAR COAST DISTRICTS (MADRAS). | Malabar | 0'5 | 0'5 | 0 | 15'0 | 12'4 | +2'6 | 102'0 | 99'8 | +2'2 | 2'7 | 7'0 | -4'3 | 120'2 | 119'7 | +0'5 |
| | Madras (South Central). | 1'1 | 0'5 | +0'6 | 11'8 | 9'0 | +2'8 | 29'7 | 27'8 | +1'9 | 5'2 | 8'5 | -3'3 | 47'8 | 45'8 | +2'0 |
| | Coorg | 0 | ? | ? | 21'8 | ? | ? | 94'2 | ? | ? | 3'4 | ? | ? | 119'4 | ? | ? |
| | Mysore | 0'3 | 0'3 | 0 | 12'7 | 8'6 | +4'1 | 37'2 | 39'7 | -2'5 | 2'1 | 4'9 | -2'8 | 52'3 | 53'5 | -1'2 |
| | Konkan | 0'2 | 0'2 | 0 | 17'3 | 3'2 | +1'5 | 102'6 | 94'3 | +8'3 | 0'3 | 2'2 | -1'0 | 104'8 | 99'9 | +4'9 |
| | Bombay Deccan | 0'6 | 0'3 | +0'3 | 6'6 | 5'7 | +0'9 | 44'6 | 46'2 | -1'6 | 0'8 | 3'1 | -2'3 | 52'6 | 55'3 | -2'7 |
| | Hyderabad (North) | 1'5 | ? | ? | 2'5 | ? | ? | 46'6 | ? | ? | 2'1 | ? | ? | 52'7 | ? | ? |
| | Khandesh | 0'9 | 0'2 | +0'7 | 1'4 | 2'1 | -0'7 | 49'3 | 42'1 | +7'1 | 0 | 2'2 | -2'2 | 51'6 | 46'6 | +5'0 |
| CENTRAL PROVINCES AND BERAR. | Berar | 0'3 | ? | ? | 2'0 | ? | ? | 49'3 | ? | ? | 1'6 | ? | ? | 53'2 | ? | ? |
| | Central Provinces (West) | 1'2 | 1'4 | -0'2 | 1'5 | 2'1 | -0'6 | 62'4 | 49'1 | +13'3 | 2'4 | 1'2 | +1'2 | 67'5 | 53'8 | +13'7 |
| | Do. (Central) | 2'5 | 1'7 | +0'8 | 1'1 | 2'8 | -1'7 | 69'5 | 52'4 | +17'1 | 3'0 | 1'1 | +1'9 | 76'1 | 58'0 | +18'1 |
| | Do. (East) | 1'5 | 1'7 | -0'2 | 0'5 | 3'7 | -3'2 | 66'9 | 49'4 | +17'5 | 2'2 | 1'1 | +1'1 | 71'1 | 55'9 | +15'2 |
| BOMBAY (NORTH). | Gujarat | 0'3 | 0'2 | +0'1 | 0'3 | 0'5 | -0'2 | 57'5 | 48'0 | +9'5 | 0'1 | 0'5 | -0'4 | 58'2 | 49'2 | +9'0 |
| | Kathiawar | 0'2 | 0'2 | 0 | 0'4 | 0'6 | -0'2 | 39'8 | 27'7 | +12'1 | 0'5 | 0'4 | +0'1 | 40'9 | 28'9 | +12'0 |
| | Sind | 1'3 | ? | ? | 0'1 | ? | ? | 7'4 | ? | ? | 0'4 | ? | ? | 9'2 | ? | ? |
| RAJPUTANA AND CENTRAL INDIA. | Central India (East) | 3'1 | ? | ? | 0'5 | ? | ? | 54'2 | ? | ? | 3'2 | ? | ? | 61'0 | ? | ? |
| | Rajputana (East) Central India (West). | 1'9 | ? | ? | 0'9 | ? | ? | 30'1 | ? | ? | 2'9 | ? | ? | 35'8 | ? | ? |
| | Rajputana (West) | 1'6 | ? | ? | 0'7 | ? | ? | 16'8 | ? | ? | 1'2 | ? | ? | 20'3 | ? | ? |
| MADRAS . | East Coast (North) | 1'3 | 0'7 | +0'6 | 4'7 | 5'2 | -0'5 | 53'5 | 43'2 | +10'3 | 3'4 | 4'3 | -0'9 | 62'9 | 53'4 | +9'5 |
| | Do. (do.) (a) | 2'5 | 0'7 | +1'8 | 11'0 | 9'7 | +1'3 | 85'0 | 67'6 | +17'4 | 3'5 | 5'3 | -1'8 | 102'0 | 83'3 | +18'7 |
| | Hyderabad (South) | 1'2 | ? | ? | 3'5 | ? | ? | 46'7 | ? | ? | 3'3 | ? | ? | 54'7 | ? | ? |
| | Madras (Central) | 0'4 | 0'2 | +0'2 | 5'2 | 4'2 | +1'0 | 32'6 | 30'8 | +1'8 | 4'2 | 4'2 | 0 | 42'4 | 39'4 | +3'0 |
| | East Coast (Central) | 1'4 | 0'8 | +0'6 | 3'0 | 2'5 | +0'5 | 30'2 | 27'1 | +3'1 | 8'9 | 10'5 | -1'6 | 43'5 | 40'9 | +2'6 |
| | Do. (South) | 2'7 | 1'0 | +0'7 | 5'2 | 4'8 | +0'4 | 34'1 | 31'5 | +2'6 | 14'5 | 14'0 | +0'5 | 56'5 | 51'3 | +5'2 |
| | Madras (South) | 1'3 | 1'8 | -0'5 | 9'2 | 7'5 | +1'7 | 17'7 | 19'5 | -1'8 | 13'7 | 13'1 | +0'6 | 41'9 | 41'8 | +0'1 |

The cold weather period.—The rainfall of this period was very irregularly distributed in Northern India. It was in general and considerable excess in North-Western India, but was very scanty and in large defect relatively to the normal in North-Eastern India. A considerable number of cold weather storms affected the weather in Northern India during this period. Four advanced eastwards in January and three in February. They were all unusually diffused disturbances which either did not pass into North-Eastern India or filled up as they advanced eastwards, and were very feeble when they passed into that area. The precipitation due to these storms was hence almost restricted to North-Western India. The most noteworthy feature of these storms was that although they gave heavy snowfall in the Himalayan area, it was confined to considerably greater elevations than usual, and the snowfall was hence most largely in excess in the interior ranges and in Ladakh and the Karakorum mountain area.

The following data show that the precipitation was unusually large in amount at the hill stations in North-Western India :—

| STATION. | RAINFALL. | | | | | | |
|----------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| | Average actual, January 1894. | Average normal, January. | Average actual, February 1894. | Average normal, February. | Average actual of period, January and February 1894. | Average normal, January and February. | Variation from normal of period. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| Murree | 8'55 | 3'52 | 5'46 | 3'73 | 14'01 | 7'25 | + 6'76 |
| Simla | 7'99 | 2'35 | 7'48 | 2'68 | 15'47 | 5'03 | + 10'44 |
| Dalhousie | 12'27 | 2'28 | 7'99 | 3'52 | 20'26 | 5'80 | + 14'46 |
| Dharmasala | 10'98 | 4'77 | 7'69 | 4'18 | 18'67 | 8'95 | + 9'72 |
| Mussoorie | 6'15 | 2'31 | 8'61 | 2'86 | 14'76 | 5'17 | + 9'59 |
| Ranikhet | 4'86 | 2'94 | 3'29 | 1'95 | 8'15 | 4'89 | + 3'26 |
| Kilba | 6'58 | 5'61 | 6'93 | 5'30 | 13'51 | 10'91 | + 2'60 |
| Kailang | 4'28 | 4'87 | 5'07 | 3'07 | 9'35 | 7'94 | + 1'41 |

Accurate snowfall measurements are now made at several stations in the Punjab Himalayas. The following gives the amounts as registered at several of these stations where the measurement is believed to be accurately made :—

| DISTRICT OR STATE. | Station. | Height in feet above the sea-level. | TOTAL SNOWFALL IN THE MONTH OF | | TOTAL. |
|--------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|--------|
| | | | January 1894. | February 1894. | |
| Punjab | Murree | 6,344 | 9 1 | 4 10 | 13 11 |
| | Tisa | 5,000 | 1 10 | Rain only | ... |
| Chamba | Thanela | 7,000 | 12 1 | 3 10 | 15 11 |
| | Kalatop | 8,000 | 12 2 | 1 6 | 13 8 |
| Gurhwal | Malla Dunpur. | ... | 8 6 | 9 6 | 18 0 |
| | Malla Johar | ... | 14 6 | 16 6 | 31 0 |

The accumulation of snow on the lower ranges at the end of the winter was not nearly so large as in 1893. It was on the other hand very large in the higher Kashmir mountains and Ladakh.

The rainfall of the period was in moderate to large excess in Baluchistan, the Punjab, the western and central districts of the North-Western Provinces, Rajputana, Sind and Central India.

The following gives comparative data for this area of increased precipitation derived from the whole of the available data employed for the preparation of Table XIX :—

| PROVINCE. | RAINFALL DURING PERIOD, JANUARY AND FEBRUARY. | | |
|---------------------------|---|-----------------|------------------------|
| | Average actual, 1894. | Average normal. | Variation from normal. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| Baluchistan | 6'28 | 3'41 | + 2'87 |
| Punjab | 5'66 | 2'71 | + 2'95 |
| N.-W. Provinces | 2'46 | 1'21 | + 1'25 |
| Sind | 0'91 | 0'69 | + 0'22 |
| Rajputana | 0'72 | 0'43 | + 0'29 |
| Central India | 1'26 | 0'94 | + 0'32 |

The rainfall of the period was on the other hand scanty and below the normal in Burma (except Tenasserim), Bengal, Bihar, Chota Nagpur, Orissa, the Central Provinces and Berar, as is shown by the following data :—

| PROVINCE. | RAINFALL DURING PERIOD, JANUARY AND FEBRUARY. | | |
|------------------------------|---|-----------------|------------------------|
| | Average actual, 1894. | Average normal. | Variation from normal. |
| | Inch. | Inches. | Inch. |
| Burma (excluding Tenasserim) | 0'05 | 0'23 | —0'18 |
| Bengal | 0'70 | 1'38 | —0'68 |
| Bihar | 0'79 | 1'05 | —0'26 |
| Chota Nagpur | 0'60 | 1'32 | —0'72 |
| Orissa | 0'35 | 1'28 | —0'93 |
| Central Provinces | 0'74 | 0'78 | —0'04 |
| Berar | 0'24 | 0'59 | —0'35 |

The cold weather rains of Northern India ceased in February much earlier than usual and hot weather conditions were initiated in the Deccan and North-Eastern India at least a fortnight before the normal date.

Assam hence received its first spring rainfall in February, and although it obtained little rain in January, its total for

the period was above the normal, as is shown by the following data:—

| Province. | Division. | RAINFALL. | | | | | | |
|-----------|--------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--|--|-------------------------------|
| | | Average actual, January 1894. | Average normal, January. | Average actual, February 1894. | Average normal, February. | Average actual of period January and February. | Average normal of period January and February. | Variation from normal period. |
| | | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| Assam. | Brahmaputra. | 0'34 | 1'05 | 2'47 | 1'33 | 2'81 | 2'38 | + 0'43 |
| | Surma. | 0'05 | 0'62 | 3'03 | 1'35 | 3'08 | 1'97 | + 1'11 |

The rainfall in the Deccan and Southern India was also generally in slight excess due to causes similar to those producing the increased rainfall in Assam (*viz.*, the more frequent occurrence of thundershowers than usual in this period due to the very early establishment of hot weather conditions in the interior of the Peninsula). The following gives data:—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL. | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| | Average actual, January 1894. | Average normal, January. | Average actual, February 1894. | Average normal, February. | Average actual of period January and February 1894. | Average normal, January and February. | Variation from normal of period. |
| | Inches. | Inch. | Inch. | Inch. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| Mysore | 0 | 0'10 | 0'12 | 0'07 | 0'12 | 0'17 | - 0'05 |
| Madras (South Central) | 0'03 | 0'12 | 0'76 | 0'13 | 0'79 | 0'25 | + 0'54 |
| East Coast (North) | 0'21 | 0'19 | 0'54 | 0'22 | 0'75 | 0'41 | + 0'34 |
| Do. (do.) (a) | 0'48 | 0'07 | 0'43 | 0'19 | 0'91 | 0'26 | + 0'65 |
| Madras (Central) | 0'05 | 0'05 | 0'16 | 0'03 | 0'21 | 0'08 | + 0'13 |
| East Coast (Central) | 0'72 | 0'48 | 0'09 | 0'19 | 0'81 | 0'67 | + 0'14 |
| Do. (South) | 1'00 | 0'48 | 0'84 | 0'30 | 1'84 | 0'78 | + 1'06 |
| Madras (South) | 0'12 | 0'61 | 0'58 | 0'57 | 0'70 | 1'18 | - 0'48 |
| Hyderabad | 0'37 | 0'12 | 0'34 | 0'09 | 0'71 | 0'21 | + 0'50 |
| Bombay Deccan | 0 | 0'07 | 0'33 | 0'03 | 0'33 | 0'10 | + 0'23 |

II.—Hot weather period.—The rainfall of this period was much less abnormal in character than that of the corresponding period of the two previous years. Weather was slightly more disturbed in Northern India in the month of March. It was drier than usual in North-Western and Central India in April. May was exceedingly hot and dry over the whole of India, with the exception of Burma, Assam and East Bengal.

Burma obtained heavy rain during the fourth week of April from a cyclonic storm which initiated feeble monsoon conditions in that area, and it hence received frequent moderate rainfall during the month of May before the

burst of the monsoon proper. The rainfall of this period was hence in large excess in that area. Also as almost invariably occurs when hot weather conditions are more pronounced than usual in Northern and Central India, Assam and East Bengal received frequent thundershowers during the whole period, and hence the rainfall was more abundant than usual. The following gives data for that area of considerable increase of rainfall:—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL DURING PERIOD, MARCH TO MAY. | | | |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Average actual, 1894. | Average normal. | Variation from normal. | Percentage variation. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Tenasserim | 34'88 | 24'65 | + 10'23 | + 42 |
| Burma (Lower) | 16'64 | 12'71 | + 3'93 | + 31 |
| Do. (Central) | 11'86 | 10'09 | + 1'77 | + 18 |
| Do. (Upper) | 7'31 | ? | ? | ? |
| Arakan | 18'00 | 19'90 | - 1'90 | - 10 |
| Assam (Brahmaputra) | 25'14 | 23'77 | + 1'37 | + 6 |
| Do. (Surma) | 46'34 | 37'65 | + 8'69 | + 23 |
| Bengal (East) | 19'51 | 16'29 | + 3'22 | + 20 |

The weather was unusually dry during the whole period (but more especially in May) in Orissa, West and Central Bengal, Bihar and Chota Nagpur. The following gives comparative data of the period for this area:—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL DURING PERIOD MARCH TO MAY. | | | |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Average actual, 1894. | Average normal. | Variation from normal. | Percentage variation. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Bengal (Deltaic) | 6'98 | 10'56 | - 3'58 | - 34 |
| Do. (Central) | 4'15 | 7'37 | - 3'22 | - 44 |
| Do. (North) | 15'27 | 15'14 | + 0'13 | + 1 |
| Chota Nagpur | 1'20 | 3'63 | - 2'43 | - 67 |
| Bihar (South) | 0'57 | 2'42 | - 1'85 | - 76 |
| Do. (North) | 1'84 | 4'30 | - 2'46 | - 57 |
| Orissa | 2'50 | 6'08 | - 3'58 | - 59 |

The rainfall was also more or less below the small normal of the period in the North-Western Provinces, the Punjab, Sind, Rajputana, Central India, Berar and the Central Provinces. The deficiency was small in the Punjab, and was large relatively to the normal in the

remaining districts. It exceeded one inch in the Konkan, Bombay Deccan and the Central Provinces. The following gives comparative data :—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL DURING PERIOD, MARCH TO MAY 1894. | | | |
|-----------------------------|--|-----------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Average actual, 1894. | Average normal. | Variation from normal. | Percentage variation. |
| N.-W. Provinces and Oudh. | Inches. 0'46 | Inches. 1'32 | Inches. -0'86 | -65 |
| Punjab | 2'87 | 3'22 | -0'35 | -11 |
| Sind | 0'03 | 0'60 | -0'57 | -95 |
| Rajputana | 0'27 | 0'73 | -0'46 | -63 |
| Central India | 0'16 | 0'73 | -0'57 | -78 |
| Berar | 0'62 | 1'11 | -0'49 | -44 |
| Central Provinces | 0'36 | 1'38 | -1'02 | -74 |
| Konkan | 0'92 | 2'08 | -1'16 | -56 |
| Hyderabad | 0'48 | 1'22 | -0'74 | -60 |
| Bombay Deccan | 1'57 | 2'81 | -1'24 | -44 |

The rainfall of the period was in moderate excess over the greater part of the South Deccan and Southern India, chiefly due to more frequent showers than usual in May, *e.g.* :—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL DURING PERIOD, MARCH TO MAY 1894. | | | |
|----------------------------------|--|-----------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Average actual, 1894. | Average normal. | Variation from normal. | Percentage variation. |
| Mysore | Inches. 7'21 | Inches. 5'15 | Inches. +2'06 | +40 |
| Malabar | 10'76 | 9'88 | +0'88 | +9 |
| Madras (South Central) | 6'53 | 6'06 | +0'47 | +8 |
| East Coast (North) (a) | 5'98 | 4'88 | +1'10 | +23 |
| Madras (South) | 6'13 | 5'12 | +1'01 | +20 |

South-west monsoon period.—The rainfall of this period was larger in amount than usual, and was very favourably distributed. No long break occurred in any part of India, and the distribution of rainfall from month to month was largely determined by the character and line of march of the cyclonic storms of the period.

Southern India received more frequent rainfall from thunderstorms in May than usual. The burst of heavy continuous rain, which initiates the south-west monsoon

proper, occurred somewhat later than usual in the first week of June. The Arabian Sea monsoon current advanced rapidly northwards along the coast and also into the interior, and was established at Bombay on the 7th June. The advance over the Arabian Sea was effected more quietly than usual, as no cyclonic storm formed in that area during its progress towards India.

The Bay current was established considerably earlier than usual. The advance in the north of the Bay gave rise to the formation of a cyclonic storm, which formed in South Bengal on the 12th and 13th and advanced by a curved path to the Punjab, carrying the monsoon current with it. A second and more severe storm was generated in the third week of the month. The Bay current, although strong, was remarkably unsteady in June and July, giving rise to a series of cyclonic storms of unusual variety and intensity. It was on the other hand unusually steady in August and September. The following gives the dates of the establishment of the monsoon (*i.e.*, of the commencement of the heavy rainfall, which marked the burst of the monsoon) in different parts of India :—

| Province. | Date. |
|-----------------------------|-----------|
| Bengal | June 14th |
| Bihar | Do. 14th |
| Chota Nagpur | Do. 14th |
| N.-W. Provinces | Do. 16th |
| Punjab | Do. 17th |
| Malabar | Do. 6th |
| Konkan | Do. 8th |
| Deccan | Do. 7th |
| Central Provinces | Do. 7th |
| Central India | Do. 10th |
| Rajputana | Do. 10th |

The following is a brief statement of the more important features of the rainfall of the period, firstly, from month to month, and lastly, for the whole period :—

June.—As has been stated above, the monsoon currents were established in the Bengal and Bombay coast districts during the second week of the month, and advanced with unusual rapidity over the whole area of their full extension to the East and North Punjab before the end of the third week of the month. The most striking feature of their advance was a cyclonic storm, which formed in Bengal and carried the monsoon current into the Punjab. This storm gave one of the heaviest downpours in the East Punjab, which it has experienced for many years. The

following gives the mean fall and the heaviest fall in the districts where it was most excessive:—

| | AVERAGE ACTUAL RAINFALL IN 24 HOURS PRECEDING 8 A.M. OF DATE | | Total 48 hours. | Heaviest rainfall in 24 hours in district. |
|-----------------------|---|---------|--------------------|---|
| | 18th. | 19th. | | |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| Ferozepore | 3'33 | 3'94 | 7'27 | 10'73 |
| Jullunder | 4'87 | 3'84 | 8'71 | 11'20 |
| Gurdaspur | 2'85 | 7'46 | 10'31 | 11'58 |
| Hoshiarpore | 4'36 | 4'20 | 8'56 | 10'97 |
| Amritsar | 0'97 | 7'36 | 8'33 | 10'17 |
| Sialkot | 0'63 | 4'30 | 4'93 | 7'20 |
| Ludhiana | 2'60 | 3'04 | 5'64 | 5'06 |

This storm also affected Kashmir and the Punjab hill districts, giving a heavy downpour which occasioned severe floods, more especially in the Kashmir valley. The following gives data for three stations in Kashmir and the Punjab hills of the fall during the whole storm period:—

| PROVINCE. | STATION. | Total rainfall during period 17th to 19th. |
|-------------------|---------------------|--|
| | | Inches. |
| PUNJAB | Dalhousie | 15'07 |
| Do. | Nurpur | 12'72 |
| KASHMIR | Ramban | 7'00 |

A second storm formed in the Bay, whilst the preceding storm was breaking up. It advanced into the eastern and central districts of the North-Western Provinces, and was stationary in the eastern districts from the 24th to the 27th, during which it increased considerably in intensity and advanced thence through Bundelkhand on the 28th into Central Rajputana, where it filled up on the 29th and 30th. It may be noted that the two storms of the month had a special redevelopment after passing into the interior, in both cases accompanying prolonged excessive downpours. These storms largely affected the rainfall distribution of the month. They gave excessive rain over the greater part of North-Western and Central India, and the rainfall of the month was hence in very large excess in the Punjab (East), Rajputana, Gujarat, Kathiawar, Central India, and the North-Western Provinces. The following gives mean data for this area of excessive rain:—

| PROVINCE. | RAINFALL. | | | |
|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Average actual, June 1894. | Average normal, June. | Variation from normal. | Percent- age variation. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Punjab | 6'59 | 2'18 | +4'41 | +202 |
| N.-W. Provinces | 8'72 | 4'22 | +4'50 | +107 |
| Rajputana | 5'19 | 2'33 | +2'86 | +123 |
| Central India | 9'75 | 6'02 | +3'73 | +62 |
| Gujarat | 10'74 | 6'26 | +4'48 | +72 |
| Kathiawar | 9'68 | 3'26 | +6'42 | +197 |

The rainfall of the month was in moderate excess in Orissa, Chota Nagpur and the Central Provinces, through which the storms passed during their advance from the Bay to North-Western India. The following gives comparative data for these areas:—

| PROVINCE. | RAINFALL. | | | |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Average actual, June 1894. | Average normal, June. | Variation from normal. | Percent- age variation. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Orissa | 11'31 | 8'93 | +2'38 | +27 |
| Chota Nagpur | 11'11 | 7'83 | +3'28 | +42 |
| Central Provinces | 9'68 | 7'97 | +1'71 | +21 |

In consequence of the rapid advance of the Bengal current to Upper India and the strong determination of that current to the Gangetic Plain during the latter part of the month, Burma, Arakan, Bengal and North Bihar, which usually receive the greater part of the precipitation of the Bay current during this month, obtained less than usual, and the rainfall of the month was hence more or less below the normal in those areas, as is shown by the following:—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL. | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Average actual, June 1894. | Average normal, June. | Variation from normal. | Percent- age variation. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Burma | 13'20 | 17'42 | -4'22 | -24 |
| Arakan | 36'76 | 52'34 | -15'58 | -30 |
| Bengal | 14'28 | 15'86 | -1'58 | -10 |
| North Bihar | 8'48 | 8'61 | -0'13 | -2 |

Similarly, the increased indraught of the Bombay current to the Gangetic Plain and the East Punjab diminished the rainfall in the West coast districts and over the greater part of the Peninsula. The following gives comparative data showing the extent of the deficiency in that area:—

| PROVINCE. | RAINFALL. | | | |
|-------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| | Average actual, June 1894. | Average normal, June. | Variation from normal. | Percent- age variation. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Madras | 2'83 | 3'56 | -0'73 | -21 |
| Mysore | 2'35 | 4'00 | -1'65 | -41 |
| Hyderabad | 3'64 | 5'11 | -1'47 | -29 |
| Bombay Deccan | 5'38 | 5'75 | -0'37 | -6 |
| Khandesh | 5'23 | 5'69 | -0'46 | -8 |
| Malabar | 32'79 | 37'30 | -4'51 | -12 |
| Berar | 7'00 | 7'82 | -0'82 | -10 |
| Konkan | 25'29 | 27'15 | -1'86 | -7 |

The deficiency was hence large in amount in Mysore, Hyderabad and the greater part of Madras (more especially the southern and central districts).

July.—The distribution of the rainfall of the month was very largely determined by a succession of three cyclonic storms which formed in the north of the Bay of Bengal and advanced along slightly different paths in a general west-north-westerly direction to Sind and were broken up by the Baluchistan mountain ranges. During the early stages of these storms they were maintained chiefly by the Bay current, and during their later stages, when passing through the Central Provinces, Central Rajputana and Sind, by the Bombay current. Each of these storms gave more or less heavy and general rain to the areas over which they passed, and the rainfall tended to increase during their later stages when they were approaching the west coast and coming more under the influence of the Bombay current. The third storm of the series, which marched slowly across the head of the peninsula with an average velocity of only about 8 miles per hour, gave excessive rain in Orissa, the Central Provinces and Central India, and as it approached the west coast increased very largely in draught from the Arabian Sea. The Konkan, Gujarat, Kathiawar, Cutch, South-West Rajputana and Lower Sind hence received an excessive burst or cyclonic down-pour during the period of this storm from the 18th to the 26th. The following gives the average total rainfall due to the storm in these areas:—

| DIVISION. | Total rainfall for the period, 17th to 24th July 1894. | Normal rainfall, July. | Heaviest fall in 24 hours. |
|---------------------------|--|------------------------|----------------------------|
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| Orissa | 7'06 | 12'41 | 15'50 |
| Central Provinces | 5'44 ² | 15'97 | 10'50 |
| Berar | 8'56 | ? | 13'68 |
| Kathiawar | 10'59 | 12'39 | 17'68 |
| Gujarat | 10'42 | 18'46 | 9'07 |
| Cutch | 12'43 | 10'00 | 12'84 |
| Lower Sind | 3'28 | 2'40 | 6'04 |
| Konkan | 18'47 | 40'04 | 12'59 |

Rainfalls in 24 hours, ranging in amount between 10 and 18 inches, were received at a large number of stations in the Konkan, Gujarat and Kathiawar during the period from the 18th to the 26th.

The rainfall of the month was hence more or less largely in excess in the broad belt of country over which the series of storms passed, *viz.*, Orissa, Chota Nagpur, the Central Provinces, Gujarat, Kathiawar, Sind, Khandesh,

Berar and the Konkan. The following gives data for these areas:—

| PROVINCE. | RAINFALL. | | | |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Average actual, July 1894. | Average normal, July. | Variation from normal. | Percentage variation. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Orissa | 17'33 | 12'41 | + 4'92 | + 40 |
| Chota Nagpur | 17'17 | 13'15 | + 4'02 | + 31 |
| Central Provinces | 18'25 | 15'97 | + 2'28 | + 14 |
| Gujarat | 29'63 | 18'46 | + 11'17 | + 61 |
| Kathiawar | 24'92 | 12'39 | + 12'53 | + 101 |
| Sind | 7'15 | 1'86 | + 5'29 | + 284 |
| Khandesh | 13'62 | 7'67 | + 5'95 | + 78 |
| Berar | 13'46 | 9'13 | + 4'33 | + 47 |
| Konkan | 48'82 | 40'04 | + 8'78 | + 22 |

The most remarkable feature of the month was the abnormal and excessive rainfall in Lower Sind, Cutch and Kathiawar due to the advance of the storms towards that area. The rainfall in Sind and Cutch in July 1894 is undoubtedly the heaviest that has occurred for at least 20 years. The following comparative data for eight stations illustrate more fully the very abnormal character of the rainfall of the month in that area:—

| DISTRICT. | Station. | RAINFALL. | | |
|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------|-------------------|------------------------|
| | | Actual, July 1894. | Normal, July. | Variation from normal. |
| KATHIAWAR | Rajkot | 33'21 | 14'11 | + 19'10 |
| | Morvi | 39'85 | 9'50 ² | 30'35 ² |
| | Wadhwan | 21'65 | 9'76 | + 11'89 |
| | Vankaner | 31'59 | 9'50 ² | 22'09 ² |
| CUTCH | Bhuj | 24'32 | 5'46 | + 18'86 |
| | Rahpur | 28'88 | 7'06 | + 21'82 |
| LOWER SIND | Kurrachee | 22'18 | 2'90 | + 19'28 |
| | Shahbandar | 24'59 | 3'02 ² | + 21'57 ² |

The indraught of the Bombay current to these storms largely diminished the rainfall in Southern India, and the total rainfall of the month was hence in general defect

in South and Central Madras, Mysore, Hyderabad and Malabar, as is shown by the following:—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL. | | | |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Average actual, July 1894. | Average normal, July. | Variation from normal. | Percentage variation. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Malabar | 29'30 | 34'42 | -5'12 | -15 |
| Mysore | 5'38 | 6'48 | -1'10 | -17 |
| South and Central Madras | 2'08 | 2'13 | -0'05 | -2 |
| Hyderabad | 5'11 | 7'18 | -2'07 | -29 |

Arakan received heavier rainfall, chiefly due to increased precipitation during the formation and early stages of the storms of the month. South Bengal and Bihar shared in the heavy rainfall accompanying the advance of the storms and hence obtained somewhat larger amounts than usual. The East and South Punjab and the Upper India hill districts received heavy rain from the Bombay current in the intervals between the breaking up of one storm in Sind and Baluchistan, and the advance of the succeeding storm of the series into the Central Provinces or Central India, when the Bombay current was again diverted into the advancing storm whirl. The following gives data for these areas of increased rainfall in July and also for Burma and Rajputana where the rainfall was normal in amount:—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL. | | |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| | Average actual, July 1894. | Average normal, July. | Variation from normal. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| Tenasserim | 48'31 | 47'33 | + 0'98 |
| Arakan | 49'56 | 48'28 | + 1'28 |
| Deltaic and Central Bengal | 14'30 | 12'12 | + 2'18 |
| Bihar (South) | 14'61 | 11'87 | + 2'74 |
| Punjab plains | 8'32 | 5'60 | + 2'72 |
| Do. hills | 27'13 | 16'68 | + 10'45 |
| Rajputana | 7'01 | 6'55 | + 0'46 |

The whole of India to the north of the belt of country covered by the storms, with the exception of the areas

named in the preceding table, had less rain than usual, as is shown by the following data:—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL. | | |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| | Average actual, July 1894. | Average normal, July. | Variation from normal. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| Assam | 13'71 | 17'34 | -3'63 |
| North Bengal | 12'76 | 20'03 | -7'27 |
| North Bihar | 10'65 | 12'22 | -1'57 |
| N.-W. Provinces | 11'66 | 11'73 | -0'07 |

The deficiency was large in the following districts of Assam, North Bengal and Bihar:—

| DISTRICT. | RAINFALL. | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Average actual, July 1894. | Average normal, July. | Variation from normal. | Percentage variation. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Goalpara | 9'22 | 16'31 | - 7'09 | -43 |
| Kuch Bihar | 6'88 | 22'56 | -15'68 | -69 |
| Rangpur | 4'60 | 16'48 | -11'88 | -72 |
| Darbhanga | 5'41 | 11'89 | - 6'48 | -54 |
| Muzaffarpur | 5'47 | 11'81 | - 6'34 | -54 |
| Dinajpur | 7'78 | 13'45 | - 5'67 | -42 |

A noteworthy feature of the rainfall in Bihar and North Bengal was the great irregularity of its distribution. The following gives examples for four districts in those areas:—

| DISTRICT. | Station. | RAINFALL. | | |
|------------|----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| | | Average actual, July 1894. | Average normal, July. | Variation from normal. |
| | | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| KUCH BIHAR | Dinhatta | 2'14 | 13'56 | -11'42 |
| | Kuch Bihar | 6'88 | 22'56 | -15'68 |
| | Mickliganj | 17'82 | 20'44 | - 2'62 |
| DINAJPUR | Churamon | 17'85 | 11'90 | + 5'95 |
| | Dinajpur | 7'78 | 13'45 | - 5'67 |
| SARAN | Gopalganj | 9'55 | 12'51 | - 2'96 |
| | Saran | 20'91 | 11'73 | + 9'18 |
| | Chapra | 13'04 | 12'30 | + 0'74 |
| CHAMPARAN | Motihari | 6'30 | 10'45 | - 4'15 |
| | Bettiah | 15'75 | 12'68 | + 3'07 |

August—Was singularly free from cyclonic storms. Both currents held steadily during the month, and there was no prolonged break such as frequently occurs in the month. The most noteworthy feature of the month was the increased precipitation in several areas which had received scanty rainfall in June and July. The following gives a summary of the chief features of the rainfall distribution of the month :—

1st.—The rainfall of the month was more or less in excess over nearly the greater part of Burma, and in Bengal, Bihar and Chota Nagpur. The excess was on the whole largest in the districts in North Bihar and North Bengal, where it had been very scanty in the previous month. The following gives comparative data for this area of increased rainfall and also for Assam :—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL. | | |
|-------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------|
| | Average actual, August 1894. | Average normal. | Variation from normal. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| Tenasserim | 45'38 | 37'52 | +7'86 |
| Burma | 13'67 | 18'88 | —5'21 |
| Arakan | 36'92 | 32'00 | +4'92 |
| Bengal | 16'39 | 15'23 | +1'16 |
| Assam | 17'20 | 17'30 | —0'10 |
| Bihar (South) | 13'96 | 11'28 | +2'68 |
| Do. (North) | 15'23 | 15'01 | +3'73 |
| Chota Nagpur | 18'09 | 14'77 | +3'32 |

The following gives rainfall averages for the districts in North Bengal and Bihar in which the precipitation of the previous month was most largely in defect :—

| DISTRICT. | RAINFALL. | | | |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Average actual, August 1894. | Average normal, August. | Variation from normal. | Percentage variation. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Muzaffarpur | 8'39 | 10'08 | —1'69 | —17 |
| Darbhanga | 16'42 | 10'75 | +5'67 | +53 |
| Bhagalpore | 13'35 | 11'35 | +2'00 | +18 |
| Rangpur | 11'22 | 12'40 | —1'18 | —10 |
| Kuch Bihar | 19'06 | 21'83 | —2'77 | —13 |
| Goalpara | 13'62 | 12'23 | +1'39 | +11 |
| Dinajpur | 12'59 | 11'87 | +0'72 | +6 |

2nd.—The rainfall of the month was in large excess in the North-Western Provinces and the Punjab hill districts. This increased rainfall was due to frequent heavy rain and the occurrence of local heavy downpours for periods of several days. The chief centres of these local downpours during the month were the districts of Dehra Dun, Naini Tal, Pilibhit, Bareilly and Shahjehanpur, Bahraich, Sitapur and Barabanki.

The following gives complete data for these districts :—

| DISTRICT. | RAINFALL. | | | |
|------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Average actual, August 1894. | Average normal, August. | Variation from normal. | Percentage variation. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Dehra Dun | 36'77 | 26'97 | +9'80 | +36 |
| Naini Tal | 26'59 | 17'64 | +8'95 | +51 |
| Pilibhit | 28'38 | 13'72 | +14'66 | +107 |
| Bareilly | 29'69 | 11'01 | +18'68 | +170 |
| Shahjehanpur | 21'66 | 7'38 | +14'28 | +193 |
| Bahraich | 22'13 | 10'52 | +11'61 | +110 |
| Sitapur | 25'81 | 9'62 | +16'19 | +168 |
| Barabanki | 20'13 | 9'97 | +10'16 | +102 |

The excessive character of the rainfall in these districts is shown even more fully by the following data for single stations :—

| DISTRICT. | Station. | RAINFALL. | | |
|------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| | | Average actual, August 1894. | Average normal, August. | Variation from normal. |
| | | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| Dehra Dun | Rajpur | 67'30 | ? | ? |
| Sitapur | Biswan | 30'00 | 10'14 | +19'86 |
| Barabanki | Nawabganj | 22'00 | 8'06 | +13'94 |
| Shahjehanpur | Tilhar | 25'30 | 10'15 | +15'15 |
| Bareilly | Mirganj | 34'38 | 10'60 | +23'78 |
| Pilibhit | Pilibhit | 36'40 | 12'89 | +23'51 |

The following gives comparative data for this area of excessive rainfall in August :—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL. | | | |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Average actual, August 1894. | Average normal, August. | Variation from normal. | Percentage variation. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Oudh (North) . . . | 20'81 | 10'44 | + 10'37 | + 99 |
| Do. (South) . . . | 16'44 | 10'47 | + 5'97 | + 57 |
| N.-W. Provinces (East) . | 15'51 | 10'79 | + 4'72 | + 44 |
| Do. (Central). . . | 14'44 | 10'32 | + 4'12 | + 50 |
| Do. (West) . . . | 11'81 | 8'69 | + 3'12 | + 36 |
| Do. (Submontane). . . | 21'53 | 12'93 | + 8'60 | + 67 |
| Punjab Hills : . . . | 23'11 | 16'67 | + 6'44 | + 39 |

3rd.—The rainfall of the month was in moderate to large defect in Sind, Cutch, Kathiawar, the west and central districts of Rajputana, Khandesh, Berar, the greater part of Central India and the Konkan, all of which districts had received a large excess of rain in the previous month. The following gives comparative data :—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL. | | | |
|-------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Average actual, August 1894. | Average normal, August. | Variation from normal. | Percentage variation. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Sind | 0'19 | 1'94 | - 1'75 | - 90 |
| Cutch | 0'37 | 3'48 | - 3'11 | - 89 |
| Kathiawar | 2'01 | 6'28 | - 4'27 | - 68 |
| Rajputana (West) . . . | 2'68 | 4'48 | - 1'80 | - 40 |
| Khandesh | 2'68 | 5'99 | - 3'31 | - 55 |
| Berar | 2'81 | 7'70 | - 4'89 | - 64 |
| Central India | 7'88 | 10'65 | - 2'77 | - 26 |
| Konkan | 19'10 | 24'15 | - 5'05 | - 21 |

4th.—It was in moderate to largish excess in Hyderabad, Malabar, Mysore and South and Central Madras, where, the rainfall had been seriously in defect during the preceding two months.

Comparative data of this area for the month are given below :—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL. | | |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| | Average actual, August 1894. | Average normal, August. | Variation from normal. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| Malabar | 28'26 | 20'13 | + 8'13 |
| South and Central Madras . | 4'94 | 3'19 | + 1'75 |
| Mysore | 5'68 | 5'08 | + 0'60 |
| Hyderabad | 7'39 | 7'25 | + 0'14 |

The rainfall in the remaining areas, including the Punjab, Central Provinces, the Bombay Deccan and North Madras, differed little in amount from the normal.

The distribution of the rainfall of the month was hence over the greater part of India complementary or inverse in its character and distribution to that of the preceding month.

September.—The monsoon currents were considerably stronger and steadier than usual in the month. Three feeble depressions formed in the north of the Bay. The first and third advanced by curved paths to the Gangetic Plain, and the second to the Central Provinces. They were all extensive diffused disturbances, and gave moderate general rain over the large area including North-Eastern India, the North-Western Provinces, Central India and the Central Provinces. The Bombay current held steadily throughout the month, with the exception of a short period from the 17th to the 22nd, when it was feeble and gave little or no rainfall except in the west coast districts. The distribution of the rainfall of the month resembled in one important respect that of the previous month, viz., that it was on the whole most abundant in the areas which had received deficient rain in June and July. The following gives a summary of the chief features of the distribution of the rainfall of September 1894 :—

1st.—The rainfall of the month was in large excess in Tenasserim, normal in Burma, and in moderate defect in Arakan.

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL. | | | |
|----------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Average actual, September 1894. | Average normal, September. | Variation from normal. | Percentage variation. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Tenasserim | 42'97 | 23'57 | + 19'40 | + 82 |
| Burma | 10'79 | 11'73 | - 0'94 | - 8 |
| Arakan | 14'74 | 20'03 | - 5'29 | - 26 |

2nd.—It was somewhat irregularly distributed in Bengal and was in slight to moderate defect in South and East Bengal, Chota Nagpur and Orissa. It was in largish excess in Bihar, North Bengal and Assam, as is shown by the following data :—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL. | | |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|
| | Average actual, September 1894. | Average normal, September. | Variation from normal. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| Bihar (North) | 12'40 | 9'79 | +2'61 |
| Do. (South) | 9'41 | 7'14 | +2'27 |
| Bengal (North) | 23'87 | 16'07 | +7'80 |
| Assam (Surma) | 18'50 | 16'54 | +1'96 |
| Do. (Brahmaputra) | 16'96 | 10'78 | +6'18 |

The excess was hence most marked in the Assam valley and North Bengal, in which it had been very deficient in June and July.

3rd.—The rainfall of the period was more uniformly distributed than usual in the Punjab, North-Western Provinces, Rajputana, Central India and the Central Provinces, and was in moderate general excess, *e.g.*—

| PROVINCE. | RAINFALL. | | | |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Average actual, September 1894. | Average normal, September. | Variation from normal. | Percentage variation. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Punjab | 3'88 | 3'15 | +0'73 | +23 |
| N.-W. Provinces | 7'91 | 6'56 | +1'35 | +21 |
| Rajputana | 3'43 | 2'50 | +0'93 | +37 |
| Central India | 8'38 | 6'69 | +1'69 | +25 |
| Central Provinces | 10'91 | 8'12 | +2'79 | +34 |

4th.—It was largely in excess in Khandesh, Hyderabad and Berar, the excess being most pronounced in Hyderabad, where the rainfall was very defi-

cient in June and July. The following gives data :—

| PROVINCE. | RAINFALL. | | | |
|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Average actual, September 1894. | Average normal, September. | Variation from Normal. | Percentage variation. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Khandesh | 10'11 | 7'07 | +3'04 | +43 |
| Berar | 10'22 | 6'82 | +3'40 | +50 |
| Hyderabad | 12'99 | 6'87 | +6'12 | +89 |

5th.—The rainfall of the month was in slight defect over the whole of Central and South Madras, Malabar, Mysore, the Konkan and Bombay Deccan area, in which the amount of the rainfall usually varies inversely to that in North-Western and Central India. The following gives comparative data for these areas :—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL. | | |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|
| | Average actual, September 1894. | Average normal, September. | Variation from normal. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| Madras (Central) | 3'38 | 5'40 | -2'02 |
| Do. (East Coast) | 6'55 | 6'01 | +0'54 |
| Do. (South) | 1'86 | 2'23 | -0'37 |
| Do. (South Central) | 2'62 | 3'82 | -1'20 |
| Malabar | 8'35 | 10'20 | -1'85 |
| Mysore | 1'80 | 4'83 | -3'03 |
| Konkan | 13'32 | 14'97 | -1'65 |
| Bombay Deccan | 4'37 | 5'54 | -1'17 |

The deficiency was nowhere large in actual amount, but was large relatively to the normal in Mysore and Central Madras.

The rainfall of the month was hence on the whole favourably distributed. It was in excess over nearly the whole of Northern and Central India and the North and East Deccan, the excess being most marked in the districts where it was most deficient in July, *vis.*, Assam, North Bengal and Hyderabad. The rainfall was moreover not due to short cyclonic downpours in any part of India but occurred as frequent and well-distributed showers.

The chief features of the distribution of the rainfall in October are given below, pages 647 and 648.

The following summarizes the chief features of the distribution of the south-west monsoon rainfall from June to October :—

1st.—The rainfall of the period was in large excess

in Tenasserim, and was normal or in slight defect in Burma and Arakan :—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL DURING PERIOD, JUNE TO OCTOBER. | | |
|----------------------|--|-----------------|------------------------|
| | Average actual, 1894. | Average normal. | Variation from normal. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| Tenasserim | 196'61 | 157'75 | + 38'86 |
| Burma | 72'58 | 78'56 | — 5'98 |
| Arakan | 147'00 | 155'41 | — 8'41 |

2nd.—It was in moderate excess in Assam and North Bihar, in slight excess in Bengal and in largish excess in South Bihar and Chota Nagpur :—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL DURING PERIOD, JUNE TO OCTOBER. | | | NUMBER OF RAINY DAYS DURING PERIOD, JUNE TO OCTOBER. | | |
|------------------------|--|-----------------|------------------------|--|-----------------|------------------------|
| | Average actual, 1894. | Average normal. | Variation from normal. | Average actual, 1894. | Average normal. | Variation from normal. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | | | |
| Assam | 85'26 | 72'65 | + 12'61 | 87'2 | 75'9 | + 11'4 |
| Bengal | 65'15 | 62'89 | + 2'26 | 73'0 | 67'1 | + 5'9 |
| North Bihar | 53'45 | 45'70 | + 7'75 | 59'6 | 49'4 | + 10'2 |
| South Do. | 53'27 | 39'21 | + 14'06 | 61'5 | 47'2 | + 14'3 |
| Chota Nagpur | 59'91 | 47'21 | + 12'70 | 73'2 | 63'7 | + 9'5 |

3rd.—The most remarkable feature of the monsoon was the very large excess in the North-Western Provinces and the Punjab hill districts due to heavier and more frequent rainfall than usual during the whole period, but more especially in October. The following gives data for this area :—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL DURING PERIOD, JUNE TO OCTOBER. | | |
|----------------------------------|--|-----------------|------------------------|
| | Average actual, 1894. | Average normal. | Variation from normal. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| Oudh (North) | 64'64 | 35'89 | + 28'75 |
| Do. (South) | 58'76 | 33'72 | + 25'04 |
| N.-W. Provinces (East) | 60'89 | 35'97 | + 24'92 |
| Do. (Central) | 51'69 | 31'98 | + 19'71 |
| Do. (West) | 33'39 | 26'76 | + 6'63 |
| Do. (Submontane) | 63'25 | 41'93 | + 21'32 |
| Punjab Hills | 71'03 | 45'43 | + 25'60 |

The following table shows that this increase was very largely due to more frequent rain (and to the absence of any prolonged break) during the whole period :—

| DIVISION. | NUMBER OF RAINY DAYS DURING PERIOD, JUNE TO OCTOBER. | | Ratio of actual rainfall to actual number of rainy days. | Ratio of normal rainfall to normal number of rainy days. |
|----------------------------------|--|-----------------|--|--|
| | Average actual, 1894. | Average normal. | | |
| | | | | |
| Oudh (North) | 57'3 | 38'1 | 1'13 | 0'94 |
| Do. (South) | 54'6 | 37'8 | 1'08 | 0'89 |
| N.-W. Provinces (East) | 63'8 | 41'1 | 0'95 | 0'88 |
| Do. (Central) | 50'9 | 35'3 | 1'02 | 0'91 |
| Do. (West) | 39'7 | 30'9 | 0'84 | 0'87 |
| Do. (Submontane) | 56'2 | 39'8 | 1'13 | 1'05 |
| Punjab Hills | 58'8 | 46'0 | 1'21 | 0'99 |

The data for North Oudh for example show that the number of rainy days was 50 per cent. greater than the normal, and that the rainfall per rainy day was greater than the normal by 25 per cent. very approximately. Similar relations obtain for other districts.

4th.—The rainfall of the period was largely in excess in the Punjab, Sind, Kathiawar, Cutch and Gujarat, and in moderate excess in the Central Provinces, Central India, Rajputana and (probably) Berar.

The excess in those areas was largely due to the excessive cyclonic downpours which accompanied the passage of the June and July storms through these areas. The following gives comparative data of the total rainfall of the period in these areas :—

| PROVINCE. | RAINFALL DURING PERIOD, JUNE TO OCTOBER. | | | |
|-----------------------------|--|-----------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Average actual, 1894. | Average normal. | Variation from normal. | Percentage variation. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Punjab | 29'47 | 20'11 | + 9'36 | + 47 |
| Sind | 7'63 | 4'52 | + 3'11 | + 69 |
| Kathiawar | 44'93 | 27'32 | + 17'61 | + 64 |
| Gujarat | 61'88 | 43'39 | + 18'49 | + 43 |
| Central Provinces | 55'96 | 45'79 | + 10'17 | + 22 |
| Rajputana | 21'41 | 18'75 | + 2'66 | + 14 |
| Central India | 46'13 | 42'25 | + 3'88 | + 9 |

In the following table are given corresponding data for the number of rainy days in the period in the districts given in the preceding table :—

| DIVISION. | NUMBER OF RAINY DAYS DURING PERIOD, JUNE TO OCTOBER. | | Ratio actual rainfall to actual number of rainy days. | Ratio of normal rainfall to normal number of rainy days. |
|-----------------------------|--|-----------------|---|--|
| | Average actual, 1894. | Average normal. | | |
| Punjab | 28.8 | 21.5 | 1.02 | 0.94 |
| Sind | 7.4 | ? | 1.03 | ? |
| Kathiawar | 39.8 | 27.7 | 1.13 | 0.99 |
| Gujarat | 57.5 | 48.0 | 1.08 | 0.90 |
| Central Provinces | 66.3 | 50.3 | 0.84 | 0.91 |
| Rajputana | 23.5 | ? | 0.91 | ? |
| Central India | 54.2 | ? | 0.85 | ? |

Hence in all these divisions (except the Central Provinces as in the North-Western Provinces the increased rain-fall was due to slightly heavier and much more frequent rain than usual.

5th.—The rainfall of the period was in slight to moderate excess in the Konkan, Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad and North and Central Madras :—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL DURING PERIOD, JUNE TO OCTOBER. | | | NUMBER OF RAINY DAYS DURING PERIOD, JUNE TO OCTOBER. | | |
|-----------------------------|--|-----------------|------------------------|--|-----------------|------------------------|
| | Average actual, 1894. | Average normal. | Variation from normal. | Average actual, 1894. | Average normal. | Variation from normal. |
| Konkan | Inches. 113.22 | Inches. 111.86 | Inches. +1.36 | 102.6 | 94.3 | +8.3 |
| Bombay Deccan | 32.42 | 31.61 | +0.81 | 44.6 | 46.2 | -1.6 |
| Hyderabad | 32.23 | 29.30 | +2.94 | 46.7 | ? | ? |
| Madras (North and Central). | 39.23 | 35.20 | +4.03 | 57.1 | 47.2 | +9.9 |

6th.—It was on the other hand in moderate defect in Mysore, South Madras and probably Coorg, e.g. :—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL DURING PERIOD, JUNE TO OCTOBER. | | | NUMBER OF RAINY DAYS DURING PERIOD, JUNE TO OCTOBER. | | |
|------------------------|--|-----------------|------------------------|--|-----------------|------------------------|
| | Average actual, 1894. | Average normal. | Variation from normal. | Average actual, 1894. | Average normal. | Variation from normal. |
| Mysore | Inches. 22.10 | Inches. 25.93 | Inches. -3.83 | 37.2 | 39.7 | -2.5 |
| Coorg | 67.82 | ? | ? | 94.2 | ? | ? |
| South Madras | 11.43 | 12.43 | -1.00 | 17.7 | 19.5 | -1.8 |

The deficiency in these areas was chiefly due to the fact that rain fell slightly less frequently than usual, as the average rainfall per rainy day was practically normal.

IV.—The retreating south-west monsoon period.—The rainfall during this period was very abnormal in its distribution. The rains ceased in Upper India (i.e., Sind, the Punjab, and the greater part of Rajputana) in the fourth week of September. The Bay current was directed chiefly to North-Eastern India and Burma during the first fortnight of October. A storm advanced in the first week of the month from the Bay to the eastern districts of the North-Western Provinces, to which it gave an excessive burst of rain. The so-called north-east monsoon rains in the Madras Presidency were initiated by a storm which formed in the centre of the Bay, and advanced to the Coromandel coast during the third week of the month. A second cyclonic storm (part of the same general disturbance) formed in the Arabian Sea and advanced to the Kathiawar coast and Gujarat. The double disturbance gave a heavy and most abnormal and untimely precipitation to Central India, Kathiawar, Gujarat, the Central Provinces and the Gangetic Plain. The third and last cyclonic disturbance of the period formed in the Bay in the last week of October and advanced across the Madras Coast on the 2nd of November into the Deccan on the 3rd, partially filling up. The residual depression, like so many of the storms of the year, was thence determined to the eastern districts of the North-Western Provinces to which it gave an excessive and most untimely burst of rain. After the disappearance of this disturbance rain continued to fall in moderate amounts in Madras until the third week of November, and then decreased rapidly, due to the final withdrawal of the south-west monsoon current from the Bay. Light showers were occasionally received in the South Coromandel coast districts from north-east winds in December, but the rainfall was scanty.

Weather was in December unusually disturbed in Upper India. A series of feeble depressions of the cold weather type affected that area and gave moderate rain much earlier in the season than usual.

The following gives the more prominent features of the rainfall of the period, October to December :—

1st.—The rainfall in Madras and Mysore was in moderate defect. It was generally normal in amount in October and November, but was very deficient in December, and hence was

more or less in defect for the whole period.
The following gives data :—

| DIVISION. | VARIATION OF RAINFALL DURING | | | |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------------------------|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Period October to December 1894. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| Madras (North) . . . | +6'09 | -0'71 | -0'66 | +4'72 |
| Do. (Central) . . . | +0'61 | -0'59 | -0'42 | -0'40 |
| East Coast (Central) . . . | +1'55 | -2'35 | -2'34 | -3'14 |
| Do. (South) . . . | -1'62 | -1'83 | -2'40 | -5'85 |
| Madras (South) . . . | -0'15 | +0'33 | -2'06 | -1'88 |
| Do. (South Central) . . . | +1'13 | -1'63 | -1'29 | -1'79 |
| Malabar | -2'90 | -2'61 | -0'72 | -6'23 |
| Mysore | +1'35 | -1'63 | -0'59 | -0'87 |

2nd.—The rainfall of the period was in slight to moderate defect in Burma and Arakan, due to the earlier termination than usual of the rains in that area. The following gives comparative data :—

| DIVISION. | VARIATION OF RAINFALL DURING | | | | |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Period October to December 1894. | Percentage variation during period. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Tenasserim | +5'74 | -0'90 | 0 | +4'84 | +42 |
| Lower Burma | -1'72 | -2'44 | -0'19 | -4'35 | -35 |
| Central Do. | -1'37 | -0'72 | -0'08 | -2'17 | -25 |
| Arakan | -0'77 | -2'65 | -0'17 | -3'59 | -26 |

3rd.—It was in moderate to large excess in Assam, Bengal, Bihar and Chota Nagpur, due to more frequent and abundant rainfall in these areas

during the three cyclonic storms and disturbances of the period :—

| DIVISION. | VARIATION OF RAINFALL DURING | | | | |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Period, October to December 1894. | Percentage variation during period. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Assam (Surma) . . . | +14'60 | +5'64 | -0'61 | +19'63 | +262 |
| Do. (Brahmaputra) . . | +6'97 | +0'58 | +0'52 | +8'07 | +171 |
| Bengal (East) . . . | +0'46 | +2'16 | +0'04 | +2'66 | +38 |
| Do. (Deltaic) . . . | +0'03 | +4'65 | -0'18 | +4'50 | +87 |
| Do. (Central) . . . | +1'40 | +1'97 | -0'14 | +3'23 | +75 |
| Do. (North) . . . | +4'75 | +0'28 | +0'14 | +5'17 | +98 |
| Bihar (North) . . . | +3'11 | +0'80 | -0'12 | +3'79 | +99 |
| Do. (South) . . . | +4'46 | +1'25 | -0'20 | +5'51 | +154 |
| Chota Nagpur . . . | +3'88 | +0'67 | -0'26 | +4'29 | +117 |
| Orissa | +0'80 | +1'71 | -0'50 | +2'01 | +25 |

4th.—The total rainfall of the period was also in moderate to large excess in the Central Provinces, and Hyderabad, as is shown by the following :—

| DIVISION. | VARIATION OF RAINFALL DURING | | | | |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Period October to December 1894. | Percentage variation during period. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Central Provinces (East) . | +2'45 | +0'93 | -0'07 | +3'31 | +118 |
| Do. (Central) . . . | +2'94 | +0'57 | +0'12 | +3'63 | +142 |
| Do. (West) . . . | +3'01 | +0'67 | -0'27 | +3'41 | +115 |
| Hyderabad | +0'21 | +0'32 | -0'49 | +0'04 | +1 |

4th.—The most remarkable feature of the period was the excessive rainfall over the North-Western Provinces, Bundelkhand and Baghelkhand. The following gives data :—

| DIVISION. | VARIATION OF RAINFALL DURING | | | | |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Period October to December 1894. | Percentage variation during period. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Oudh (North) . . . | +9'65 | +2'11 | +0'05 | +11'81 | +582 |
| Do. (South) . . . | +14'16 | +2'83 | +0'42 | +17'41 | +858 |
| N.-W. Provinces (East) . | +14'43 | +1'14 | +0'04 | +15'61 | +612 |
| Do. (Central) . . . | +10'15 | +2'75 | +0'66 | +13'56 | +904 |
| Do. (West) . . . | +0'96 | +0'46 | +1'46 | +2'88 | +291 |
| Do. (Submontane) . . . | +4'50 | +1'30 | +1'63 | +7'43 | +26 |
| Bundelkhand . . . | +6'46 | +0'94 | +0'53 | +7'93 | +484 |
| Baghelkhand . . . | +9'36 | +0'86 | +0'22 | +10'44 | +293 |

The abnormal character of the excessive precipitation in October and November is shown more fully by the comparative data of the following table for the districts in the North-Western Provinces in which it was most excessive:—

| DISTRICT OR COLLECTORATE. | VARIATION OF RAINFALL DURING | | | Average normal rainfall, October and November. | Ratio of actual to normal during October and November. |
|---------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|-----------------------------------|--|--|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | Period October and November 1894. | | |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Allahabad . . . | +18'08 | +1'45 | +19'53 | 2'03 | 10'6 |
| Banda . . . | +21'41 | +4'57 | +25'98 | 1'76 | 15'8 |
| Fatehpur . . . | +22'33 | +4'14 | +26'47 | 1'30 | 21'4 |
| Fyzabad . . . | +19'22 | +1'52 | +20'74 | 1'95 | 11'6 |
| Sultanpur . . . | +25'37 | +4'60 | +29'97 | 2'13 | 15'1 |
| Partabgarh . . . | +22'45 | +2'78 | +25'23 | 1'82 | 14'9 |
| Jaunpur . . . | +19'16 | +0'75 | +19'91 | 2'87 | 7'9 |
| Azamgarh . . . | +15'85 | +0'83 | +16'68 | 4'30 | 2'5 |

The heaviest downpours were experienced at the stations for which data are given below:—

| DISTRICT. | Station. | RAINFALL. | | | | |
|---------------|--------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|--|--|
| | | Average actual, October 1894. | Average actual, November 1894. | Average actual of period October and November 1894. | Average normal of period October and November. | Ratio of actual to normal during period. |
| | | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Sultanpur . . | Kadipur . . | 40'10 | 2'60 | 42'70 | 2'61 | 16'4 |
| Fatehpur . . | Khakhrreru . | 33'04 | 2'90 | 35'94 | 1'49 | 24'1 |
| Banda . . . | Kamasin . . | 32'73 | 4'67 | 37'40 | 1'75 | 21'4 |
| Fyzabad . . | Tanda . . . | 31'34 | 2'37 | 33'71 | 2'09 | 16'1 |

This rainfall was not only excessive but most untimely, occurring at a period when fine weather with clear skies is the rule and hence caused enormous injury to the crops.

5th.—The rainfall of the period was also in large excess in Gujarat, Kathiawar, Central India, East and South Rajputana, owing chiefly to the heavy rainfall in those areas during the second disturbance of the period. The following gives data:—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL. | | | | |
|---------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------|--|---------------------------------------|--|
| | Average actual, October 1894. | Average normal. | Average actual, October and November 1894. | Average normal, October and November. | Ratio of actual to normal during period, October and November. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | |
| Kathiawar . . . | 2'98 | 0 | 2'98 | 0'92 | 3'2 |
| Gujarat . . . | 6'54 | 0 | 6'54 | 1'54 | 4'2 |
| Central India . . . | 5'61 | 0'53 | 6'14 | 2'11 | 2'9 |
| Rajputana . . . | 0'09 | 0 | 0'09 | 0'34 | 0'3 |

6th.—The Punjab, Sind and Baluchistan obtained unusually early and frequent rain from cold weather storms in December, and the precipitation of the period was hence in excess over the greater part of that area.

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL. | | | | | Variation from normal during period. |
|-----------------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | October 1894. | November 1894. | December 1894. | Average actual, October to December 1894. | Average normal, October to December. | |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| Punjab (South) . | 0 | 0'16 | 1'05 | 1'21 | 0'46 | +0'75 |
| Do. (Central) | 0 | 0'54 | 2'02 | 2'56 | 0'68 | +1'88 |
| Do. (Submontane). | 0'02 | 0'82 | 3'60 | 4'44 | 1'11 | +3'33 |
| Do. (Hill Districts). | 0'52 | 2'21 | 7'55 | 10'28 | 2'50 | +7'78 |
| Do. (North-West). | 0'04 | 0'05 | 0'68 | 0'77 | 1'51 | —0'74 |
| Do. (West) . | 0 | 0 | 0'30 | 0'30 | 0'38 | —0'08 |
| Sind . . . | 0 | 0 | 0'09 | 0'09 | 0'16 | —0'07 |
| Baluchistan . | 0 | 0'11 | 1'00 | 1'09 | 0'59 | +0'50 |

Concluding Summary.

The large abnormal features of the meteorology of the year 1894 in India were very similar to those of the year 1893. The following gives the chief points of resemblance :—

1894.

The cold weather was somewhat more disturbed than usual and the rainfall in North-Western India above the normal. The snowfall was excessive in the higher Kashmir ranges, Ladakh and the Karakoram range.

(2) March was slightly cooler than usual, and May warmer than usual, more especially in North-East India. Temperature was practically normal in April.

(3) The rains commenced slightly earlier than usual on the Bengal coast, and were about four days later than usual on the Bombay coast. The monsoon currents advanced with unusual rapidity into Central and Upper India, and nearly the whole of India received favourable and abundant rain in June.

(4) The rainfall of the monsoon was normal or in excess over the whole of India with the exception of the Malabar districts, where there was a slight deficiency. It was in considerable to large excess in Sind, Gujarat, Kathiawar, the North-Western Provinces and Rajputana.

(5) The Peninsula received favourable rain in October and November. The rainfall during these two months was excessive and unseasonable in the North-Western Provinces, Bihar, Baghelkhand and the north-

1893.

The cold weather period was unusually stormy and the rainfall above the normal in North-Western India. There was heavier snowfall in the whole Himalayan area during the first three months of the year.

(2) March was unusually cool and April and May cooler in Northern and Central India.

(3) The rains commenced at their normal date on the Bengal coast, and were a few days later than usual on the Bombay coast. They advanced even more rapidly than usual into the interior of Upper India, and the whole of India received abundant rain in June.

(4) The rainfall of the monsoon period was above the normal in all districts with the exception of Sind, and was unusually large in amount in the Punjab, the North-Western Provinces, Bihar and Rajputana.

(5) During the retreat of south-west monsoon the whole of the Peninsula received abundant rain. The rainfall was large in amount and unseasonable in the Central Provinces and Berar. It was very heavy

ern districts of the Central Provinces and also in Gujarat, Kathiawar and Cutch. This excessive and untimely rain was due to the peculiar tracks of the cyclonic storms of the period.

(6) The south-west monsoon retreated earlier from the Bay than usual at the end of November.

(7) The cold weather rains commenced unusually early in December.

in the coast districts of Godavary, Kistna, Nellore, Tanjore and Trichinopoly, which received cyclonic downpours on more than one occasion.

(6) The south-west monsoon retreated earlier than usual from the Bay about the middle of December.

Cold weather period, January and February 1894.—The following table gives mean variation data of the more important meteorological elements for the cold weather months, January and February 1894 :—

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | JANUARY AND FEBRUARY 1894. | | | | | | |
|--|---|--|--|--|---|--------------------------------------|---|
| | Variation from normal of mean monthly pressure. | Variation from normal of mean maximum temperature. | Variation from normal of mean minimum temperature. | Variation from normal of mean aqueous vapour pressure. | Variation from normal of mean humidity. | Variation from normal of mean cloud. | Variation from normal of average actual rainfall. |
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands. | —'023 | +0'6 | +1'7 | +0'14 | —1 | —0'3 | —0'46 |
| Assam | —'015 | +2'1 | +1'1 | +0'35 | +1 | —0'9 | +1'05 |
| Bengal and Orissa . | —'009 | +1'5 | +1'6 | +0'12 | —3 | +0'1 | —0'83 |
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur. | —'009 | +0'5 | +3'1 | +0'66 | +7 | +0'9 | +0'08 |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas | +0'07 | —2'9 | +2'8 | +0'62 | +3 | +1'8 | +2'31 |
| Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. | +0'08 | —2'9 | +1'1 | +0'33 | +8 | +1'2 | +0'82 |
| East Rajputana, Central India and Gujarat. | —'003 | +0'1 | +2'9 | +0'62 | +10 | +0'9 | +0'46 |
| Deccan | —'005 | +1'2 | +2'6 | +0'39 | +3 | +0'2 | +0'11 |
| West Coast . . . | —'010 | +1'4 | +0'7 | —'002 | —2 | —0'5 | +0'05 |
| South India . . . | —'009 | —0'4 | +0'1 | +0'27 | +4 | +0'2 | +0'21 |

The following gives corresponding data for the month of December 1893, from which it will be seen to what

extent the abnormal features of the cold weather of 1894 were the continuation of corresponding features of the preceding month of December 1893 :—

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | DECEMBER 1893. | | | | | | |
|---|---|--|--|--|---|--------------------------------------|---|
| | Variation from normal of mean monthly pressure. | Variation from normal of mean maximum temperature. | Variation from normal of mean minimum temperature. | Variation from normal of mean aqueous vapour pressure. | Variation from normal of mean humidity. | Variation from normal of mean cloud. | Variation from normal of average actual rainfall. |
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands. | +040 | -27 | -40 | -099 | -6 | -07 | -102 |
| Assam | +065 | -15 | -33 | -050 | -3 | -20 | -043 |
| Bengal and Orissa . . | +036 | -01 | +01 | -006 | -2 | -06 | -032 |
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur. | +023 | -01 | +11 | +027 | +3 | -08 | -029 |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas | +023 | -01 | +24 | +025 | +5 | +11 | -038 |
| Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. | +002 | +20 | +25 | +013 | -2 | +11 | +026 |
| East Rajputana, Central India and Gujrat. | +024 | +09 | +21 | +030 | +5 | +02 | -016 |
| Deccan | +033 | +02 | +05 | +002 | +3 | -05 | -058 |
| West Coast | +030 | +10 | -05 | -064 | -8 | +01 | -086 |
| South India | +032 | -03 | -14 | -014 | -1 | -07 | -161 |

The chief features of the meteorology of India during the cold weather period of 1894 were—

(1) Pressure was in slight general defect, the deficiency being most marked in North-Eastern India and Burma. It was in slight relative excess in Upper India.

(2) Temperature was above the normal over the whole of India with the exception of Upper India, where it was in slight to moderate defect. The excess in the remainder of India was greatest in Bengal, Assam and the Central Provinces.

(3) The mean absolute and relative humidities were both above the normal over the greater part of India. The air was slightly drier than usual in Bengal and Burma, but was abnormally damp in the Gangetic plain, the Punjab, Baluchistan, Sind, Rajputana and Central India.

(4) Cloud was in excess over the whole of India, except Burma, Assam and the West Coast districts. The excess was greatest in Upper India.

(5) The rainfall of the period was larger than usual in amount over the whole of India, except Burma and Bengal. The excess was large in the Punjab, Baluchistan and the mountain districts of Upper India.

(6) Abnormally heavy snowfall in the interior ranges of the Western Himalayas, Ladakh and the Karakoram range. A noteworthy feature of the snowfall of the period was the high limit of the snowfall line throughout the whole cold weather season.

Burma and North-Eastern India were characterized by much higher temperature, decreased humidity, less cloud than usual and frequent rainfall, and North-Western and Central India and the Deccan by increased humidity, cloud and rainfall.

A reference to the annual summary for the year 1893 shows that the meteorological conditions of the corresponding months of that year were similar to those of 1894, but were less marked. It may be also noted that the abnormal features of increased temperature, humidity and cloud over the greater part of India were the continuation of similar features and conditions in December 1893.

A comparison of the preceding data with those of the same period of 1893 shows that both periods were characterized by an excess of rainfall, and by increased humidity and cloud in North-Western India, and in these respects both seasons stood in marked contrast to the corresponding period of 1892, when the rainfall was very deficient in North-Western India, and the mean humidity and cloud were both largely below the average. The following gives comparative data for the three seasons for the area including the Punjab, North-Western Provinces, Rajputana and Bihar :—

| COLD WEATHER PERIOD OF | | VARIATION FROM NORMAL IN NORTH-WESTERN INDIA OF | | | |
|------------------------|--|---|-----------|--------|-----------|
| | | Temperature. | Humidity. | Cloud. | Rainfall. |
| 1894 | | +06 | +10 | +13 | +092 |
| 1893 | | -42 | +11 | +14 | +204 |
| 1892 | | +25 | -2 | -02 | -037 |

The rainfall in North-Western India was in much greater excess in 1893 than in 1894, and temperature was largely below the normal in the former year, whilst in the latter it varied, very slightly and somewhat irregularly, but was in small excess for the whole area. The mean rainfall, humidity and cloud variations in 1892 were opposite to those for the same periods of 1893 and 1894.

In each of these three seasons the humidity and cloud conditions and to a less extent the temperature conditions were related to the distribution of the rainfall, and hence also to the character and number of the cold weather

storms of the period. In the cold weather of 1891-92 there were fewer storms than usual, whereas in each of the corresponding periods of the years 1893 and 1894 there was a larger number of storms than usual. There were, however, characteristic differences between the storms of these two periods, which affected very considerably the precipitation. The cold weather storms in 1892-93 were well defined depressions, which gave snow down to unusually low elevations (down to 1,800 feet in the hills to the west of the Dera Ismail Khan district and to 2,000 feet in the Kurram valley and Hazara district, for example). The depressions in the cold weather period, 1893-94, were generally feeble, and diffused disturbances, and gave rain in the Himalayan mountain area to much higher levels than usual. Snow rarely fell below 4,000 or 5,000 feet. There was hence no large accumulation of snow in February and March on the plateaux of Baluchistan and Afghanistan or the lower mountain ranges of the Western Himalayas in the cold weather of 1894, such as there was in the corresponding months of 1893. This difference in the character of the precipitation of the two seasons at once explains the large deficiency of temperature in the cold weather of 1893, and the very slight deficiency in Upper India in the cold weather of 1894.

The pressure variations in Northern India in all three cold weather seasons were small in amount, and pressure was, in each, in slight general defect.

The mean pressure of the whole area in the cold weather period of 1891-92 was '028" below the normal, and the only important local feature was a slight deficiency of pressure in Assam. Pressure was in general defect in the cold weather of 1892-93, by amounts averaging '018 inch, and was in slight relative excess in Northern India and in equally slight defect in Southern India and Burma. Pressure was '005 inch below the normal in the cold weather of 1893-94, and was in slight relative excess in Northern India and in slight relative defect in Southern India, the Deccan and Burma. The abnormal pressure conditions at the level of the plains were hence very similar in character in these three cold weather periods, which, however, differed very largely in the distribution and character of the rainfall and other meteorological features.

These general pressure relations evidently throw no light upon the characteristic differences of the meteorology of the three periods. As stated in the annual summary for 1893 (page 573), the only feature of the pressure distribution in India, which throws some light upon the causes of the great variation from year to year in the character and number of the cold weather storms, is the relation between the pressure variations at the hill stations and the neighbouring plain stations, as indicating an abnormal excess or defect of pressure in the middle or higher atmospheric strata.

The following table gives vertical pressure anomalies for the cold weather period of 1893-94:—

| HILL AND PLAIN STATIONS. | VERTICAL PRESSURE ANOMALY. | | | | | | |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---|
| | September 1893. | October 1893. | November 1893. | December 1893. | January 1894. | February 1894. | Mean of period, November 1893 to February 1894. |
| Leh and Lahore | + '015 | + '002 | - '009 | + '028 | - '081 | + '048 | - '004 |
| Quetta and Jacobabad | 0 | + '022 | - '003 | + '054 | - '027 | 0 | + '006 |
| Murree and Rawalpindi. | - '014 | - '004 | - '016 | + '016 | - '049 | + '002 | - '012 |
| Simla and Ludhiana | - '015 | - '010 | - '046 | - '006 | - '029 | + '022 | - '015 |
| Chakata and Roorkee. | + '003 | - '016 | - '038 | - '024 | - '012 | + '035 | - '010 |
| Ranikhet and Bareilly | + '004? | + '014? | 0 ? | + '004? | + '006? | + '034? | + '011? |
| Darjeeling and Dhubri | - '001 | + '019 | - '007 | - '005 | + '029 | + '049 | + '017 |
| Mount Abu and Deesa. | - '014 | - '011 | - '010 | + '011 | - '001 | + '011 | + '003 |
| Pachmarhi and Hoshangabad. | + '038 | + '036 | + '043 | + '008 | ? | + '046 | ? |

The preceding table establishes that the vertical pressure anomalies in the cold weather of 1893-94 were negative, thus indicating deficient pressure in the middle atmospheric strata relative to the lower. This feature was slightly exhibited in the preceding months of September and October.

The relative deficiency was moderately large in January, moderate in November, and small in December. The mean for the whole period was small in amount, and hence indicated much less strongly marked abnormal conditions than those which obtained in the preceding cold weather of 1893.

The following table gives the mean vertical pressure anomalies for the cold weather period (*i.e.*, November to February,) of the year 1893-94 and of the corresponding period of the preceding four years for comparison:—

| PAIR OF STATIONS. | VERTICAL PRESSURE ANOMALY. | | | | |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| | 1893-94. | 1892-93. | 1891-92. | 1890-91. | 1889-90. |
| Leh and Lahore | - '004 | - '046 | + '040 | - '025 | + '053 |
| Quetta and Jacobabad | + '006 | - '007 | + '063 | - '038 | + '047 |
| Murree and Rawalpindi | - '012 | - '032 | + '037 | ? | ? |
| Simla and Ludhiana | - '015 | - '049 | + '017 | - '020 | + '037 |
| Chakrata and Roorkee | - '010 | - '022 | + '039 | + '015 | + '077 |
| Ranikhet and Bareilly | + '011? | + '013 ? | + '030 | ? | ? |
| Darjeeling and Dhubri | + '017 | - '008 | + '026 | - '004 | + '039 |
| Mount Abu and Deesa | + '003 | ? | + '027 | + '016 | ? |
| Pachmarhi and Hoshangabad. | ? | + '005 | + '024 | ? | ? |

The meteorology of the cold weather of 1893-94 confirms the conclusions given in page 574 of the Annual Summary for the year 1893, *viz.*—

(1) Pressure is invariably in defect at the hill stations relatively to the adjacent plains in Northern India and hence in the middle atmospheric strata in Northern India, in cold weather seasons of abundant rainfall.

(2) Pressure is invariably in excess in the middle atmospheric strata over Northern India (*i.e.*, vertical pressure anomalies are positive) in cold weather seasons of deficient rainfall.

(3) The mean variations in the cold weather rainfall over Northern India from season to season are, roughly speaking, proportional to the magnitude of the vertical pressure anomalies of the period.

(4) The character of the vertical pressure anomalies during the cold weather and hence of the probable cold weather rainfall, are usually indicated in the preceding months of November and December, more especially when considered in combination with the character of the rainfall of the preceding south-west monsoon.

An examination of the Indian monsoon area charts and of the charts issued by the English Meteorological Office indicates that six of the seven cold weather storms which visited Northern India during the months of January and February 1894 originated in Persia, and the seventh storm in Baluchistan. Strongly marked anti-cyclonic conditions obtained in South East Russia and the eastern half of the Mediterranean during the inception of all these storms except one, thus confirming the conclusion stated in the Annual Summary for 1893 that the great majority of these storms originate in the plateau of Iran, and that the prevalence of anti-cyclonic conditions to the north and west is probably a predisposing and favourable condition to their formation and development.

Hot weather period, March to May 1894.—

The following table gives the mean variation of the more important meteorological elements in the ten meteorological provinces of India for the hot weather period, March to May 1894 :—

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | HOT WEATHER, 1894. | | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---|---|---|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| | Variation of pressure from normal. | Variation from normal of maximum temperature. | Variation from normal of minimum temperature. | Variation from normal of aqueous vapour pressure. | Variation from normal of humidity. | Variation from normal of cloud. | Variation of average actual rainfall of period from normal. |
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands. | -.028 | -.08 | +.06 | +.001 | +1 | +1.0 | +7.87 |
| Assam | -.040 | -.03 | +.03 | +.005 | 0 | -.02 | +1.58 |
| Bengal and Orissa | -.033 | +.08 | +.06 | -.013 | -4 | +.01 | -2.05 |
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur. | -.033 | +.04 | +.04 | -.035 | -3 | -.02 | -2.14 |

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | HOT WEATHER, 1894. | | | | | | |
|--|------------------------------------|---|---|---|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| | Variation of pressure from normal. | Variation from normal of maximum temperature. | Variation from normal of minimum temperature. | Variation from normal of aqueous vapour pressure. | Variation from normal of humidity. | Variation from normal of cloud. | Variation of average actual rainfall of period from normal. |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas | -.028 | -.05 | 0 | -.008 | 0 | -.07 | -.015 |
| Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. | -.021 | +.07 | 0 | -.003 | -2 | -.08 | +.008 |
| East Rajputana, Central India and Gujarat. | -.009 | -.01 | -.02 | -.030 | -2 | -.05 | -.028 |
| Deccan | -.009 | -.04 | +.04 | +.003 | 0 | +.02 | -1.07 |
| West Coast | -.003 | +.03 | +.04 | +.002 | -1 | -.01 | -2.30 |
| South India | -.017 | +.01 | +.02 | +.005 | +2 | +.01 | -.073 |

The previous table shows clearly the chief features of the meteorology of the period. Pressure was in slight general defect throughout the whole period. The mean pressure of the whole of India averaged '017" in defect in March, '019" in April, and '023" in May, and hence '020" on the mean of the whole period. Relatively to the general conditions, pressure was, in March and April, locally in slight defect in the Peninsula and North-Eastern India, and in slight excess in North-Western India. The local anomalies in these months were, however, in all cases very small, and hence the chief feature of the pressure distribution in these months was its close approximation to the normal distribution in the plains of India.

The excessive temperature conditions of the month of May intensified very considerably the local pressure anomalies. The following gives the mean anomalies for each month of the period for the ten meteorological provinces :—

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | MEAN PRESSURE VARIATION FROM THE NORMAL IN THOUSANDTHS OF AN INCH. | | |
|--|--|--------|-------|
| | March. | April. | May. |
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands | -.016 | -.016 | +.070 |
| Assam | -.024 | -.010 | -.035 |
| Bengal and Orissa | -.014 | +.050 | -.031 |
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur | -.030 | +.030 | -.039 |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas | +.070 | +.030 | -.035 |
| Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. | +.011 | -.090 | -.050 |
| East Rajputana, Central India and Gujarat. | +.015 | -.050 | +.023 |
| Deccan | +.090 | +.020 | +.021 |
| West Coast | -.050 | +.080 | +.045 |
| South India | -.080 | 0 | +.016 |

The chief abnormal features of the pressure distribution of May were hence :—

- (1) Very slight local excess in Burma.
- (2) Large deficiency in Northern India averaging '035" in amount, and slightly greater in the Gangetic Plain (*i.e.*, the North-Western Provinces and Bihar) than elsewhere.
- (3) Considerable to large local excess in Central India and the Peninsula, greatest in amount in the west coast districts.
- (4) An important result of these abnormal features was to displace the hot weather trough of low pressure in May considerably further north than usual,—a condition which accompanied and favoured the abnormal extension of the westerly hot winds of the period into West Bengal.

The data of the preceding table show that the pressure anomalies in the plains of Northern India were largely modified by the excessive temperature, which prevailed throughout the month of May, more especially in North-Eastern and Central India and the Gangetic Plain. The excessive temperature was most marked in Bihar, Chota Nagpur and the north-eastern districts of the Central Provinces. The chief effect of the high temperature of May was to intensify the deficiency of pressure in North-Eastern India, which had been a persistent feature of the pressure distribution during the previous four months. A subsidiary but an invariable result of a large deficiency of pressure in North-Eastern India due to hot weather conditions in May, is increased pressure in Western India. The month of May 1894 was hence an example of this contrast between the pressure anomalies of Western and North-Eastern India due to excessive temperature in April or May in the Gangetic Plain or North-Eastern India.

The following table gives vertical pressure anomalies for each month of the period in Northern India, determined from the variation data of six pairs of stations. It will be seen they indicate that there was a moderate relative excess of pressure in the middle atmospheric strata :—

| PAIR OF STATIONS. | VERTICAL PRESSURE ANOMALY IN | | |
|-------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| | March 1894. | April 1894. | May 1894. |
| Quetta and Jacobabad . . . | + '011 | + '037 | + '042 |
| Leh and Lahore . . . | — '013 | + '046 | + '082 |
| Murree and Rawalpindi . . . | — '028 | + '005 | + '028 |
| Simla and Ludhiana . . . | — '022 | + '023 | + '050 |
| Darjeeling and Calcutta . . . | + '006 | + 018 | + '009 |
| Mount Abu and Deesa . . . | — '016 | — '007 | — '021 |

The preceding data show that pressure was in slight

relative defect in March 1894, or the vertical anomalies were negative, accompanying slightly more disturbed weather than usual in Upper India and the Punjab Himalayas. The vertical anomalies were positive for the months of April and May and were large in the latter month.

The large positive pressure anomalies were evidently a result of the excessive temperature conditions of the month in Northern India, which by the various air movements, which it either strengthened or initiated, diminished pressure very largely at the level of the plains in Northern India and to a much smaller extent at the level of the hills, thus giving positive vertical pressure anomalies, the magnitude of which increased with elevation, and were hence greatest for Leh and Kailang.

The meteorology of the hot weather in India in 1894 was determined mainly, if not entirely, by the ordinary meteorological actions and conditions of the period, and by the distribution of the snowfall in the Himalayan area.

The winter snowfall ceased earlier than usual in March, and was excessive only on the higher elevations of the Western Himalayas. There was hence no large extension of snow-clad surface in that month. Temperature was slightly reduced below the normal in March, and was normal in April. Special conditions, which were not shown by the observations but which were almost certainly the continuation of those that gave decreased humidity and rain in Burma, Assam and East Bengal during the cold weather, reduced pressure considerably below the normal in that area. This local deficiency of pressure was not prominent in March and April, but it was undoubtedly related to the increased steadiness of the westerly winds in the Gangetic Plain in March and April, and their increased extension into West and Central Bengal. During the next month (May), when the hot weather actions were most vigorous, these conditions were largely intensified, and Assam, North and East Bengal were characterized throughout the month by large local deficiency of pressure. The local sea winds blowing across the Bengal coast were hence much stronger than usual, and gave frequent and heavy thunder showers in Assam and East Bengal, whilst the intensified westerly winds in the Gangetic Plain continued to affect West and Central Bengal and gave abnormally dry and hot weather in that area. The contrast of conditions between East and West Bengal in May was hence very striking.

South-west monsoon period, June to September 1894.—The meteorological conditions in the Indian land area antecedent to the establishment of the south-west monsoon were favourable to a strong monsoon, and also to its rapid extension to its limits in Upper India. The following gives the most prominent and important of these antecedent conditions :—

(1) The cold weather rainfall was heavier than usual in North-Western India, and the snowfall in moderate to large excess in the Punjab and Kashmir Himalayas. The snow line in the storms did not descend so low as in the winter of 1893, and the fall on the lower ranges was hence small in amount. The winter precipitation ceased earlier than usual, about the middle of March.

(2) The snow accumulation at the end of March was small in the lower ranges from 8,000 to 12,000 feet in elevation, and large on the highest ranges in the Punjab and Kashmir Himalayas. The winter accumulation melted very rapidly in April and May, and there was no unusual extension of snow-clad surface in April. Hence the temperature conditions of India in April and May were such as usually obtain after years of normal or deficient snowfall in the Western Himalayas.

(3) Ordinary hot weather temperature conditions hence obtained in March and April and strongly marked hot weather conditions in May. Temperature was largely in excess in the month of May in Northern and Central India, and more especially in Bihar, West Bengal and Chota Nagpur.

(4) The weather in Northern and Central India in May was characterized by excessive dryness and less cloud than usual, and by the abnormal prevalence of strong hot westerly land winds, and hence by more intense hot weather conditions than usual.

(5) Weather was finer and clearer than usual during the months of April and May in the Himalayan area, and the excessive snowfall in the winter months practically ceased to affect the temperature of the high level stations of Leh and Kailang at the end of March.

(6) Pressure was in moderate general defect over the Indian area during the whole period. The temperature conditions of May intensified the local pressure anomalies, which obtained in March and April, the chief feature in May being a large local deficiency in Northern India, greatest in the Gangetic Plain, and a large local excess in the western half of the peninsula, more especially the west coast districts.

The distribution of the snow accumulation with regard to elevation during the winter was evidently such as could produce no large effect on the temperature conditions in India at the commencement of the hot weather. The prevalence of even finer weather than usual over the Himalayan area in April and May favoured the rapid development of hot weather conditions in India during these months, and hence May 1894 was remarkable for the intensity of the hot weather over the greater part of Northern India.

There were slight indications in May of a stronger determination than usual of humid winds from the equatorial belt northwards to the Indian area, and more especially up the Bay of Bengal, and hence, in virtue of the strongly

marked tendency for the monsoon currents to maintain the same general features (amidst a certain amount of oscillatory variation) throughout the whole season, there was a strongish probability based on these antecedent conditions and actions in April and May, that the monsoon currents would be stronger than usual, and that of the two branches of the monsoon current, the Bay of Bengal branch would probably be stronger relatively to the normal than the Bombay current.

The inference was in accordance with facts, as both currents; but more especially the Bengal current, were above their normal strength. The chief features establishing the increased intensity and volume of the currents were:—

1st.—The strength of the temporary and early advances of southerly humid winds in the Bay in April and May.

2nd.—The rapid extension of monsoon conditions in June over the whole of India.

3rd.—The increased strength of the lower air movement in India during the monsoon period, June to September, and more especially at the coast stations of the Bay of Bengal.

4th.—The absence of cyclonic storms in the Bay between July and the end of September.

5th.—The increased rainfall over nearly the whole of India, the excess, relatively to the normal precipitation of the period, increasing from the coast districts to the more distant interior districts, *viz.*, Rajputana, the North-Western Provinces and the Punjab.

The following gives a very brief summary of the chief features of the south-west monsoon currents and rainfall in 1894.

Temporary advances of south-west humid winds occurred earlier than usual in April and May. The first advance gave rise to a cyclonic storm in the last week of April, which advanced into Lower Burma and gave heavy rain.

The permanent advance occurred in the first week of June in the Arabian Sea. It was effected with unusual quickness, and did not give rise to a cyclonic storm in that area. Bombay and the Konkan coast districts received the first heavy burst of rain on the 7th and following days. The humid current advanced with greater rapidity than usual from the Bombay Coast across Central India and Rajputana, and was established over the whole area usually dependent on that current by the 10th of the month.

The permanent advance in the Bay occurred during the second week of June, and as usual a cyclonic storm formed in front of the advancing humid current. The storm crossed the north-west angle of the Bay and marched along a curved track to the Punjab. It initiated monsoon winds

and rainfall in the Gangetic plain and the south-west monsoon of 1894 was established over the whole of Northern India in the brief period from the 14th to the 17th June.

Both currents hence advanced much more rapidly than is usual from the coast districts to the interior of Upper India. They were stronger than usual during the remainder of June, in which month the whole of India, with the exception of Burma, Assam, North Bengal, the Deccan and South India received abundant rain. The south-west monsoon trough of low pressure during the month lay slightly further north than usual, stretching from the Orissa coast through Allahabad and Delhi to Dera Ismail Khan.

The chief feature of the monsoon of 1894 was a succession of four cyclonic storms, which formed in the north of the Bay, and advanced west by north across the head of the Peninsula towards Sind in the months of June and July. They were all of considerable intensity and varied largely in their rate of advance, and hence also in the distribution of rainfall accompanying them. During the first stages of their advance they were maintained chiefly by the humid current from the Bay, and in the later stages by indraught from the Arabian Sea current. The month of July was unusually disturbed, as each succeeding storm of the series formed rapidly before the preceding had broken up or disappeared in Baluchistan or the north of the Arabian Sea. The rainfall was largely in excess in the area directly affected by the storms, and was normal or in moderate excess in the remainder of India, except in South India, Malabar and Assam. The rainfall of the month was on the average of the whole of India in considerable excess. The trough of low pressure, more especially in its western half, occupied a slightly more southerly position than usual.

During the remaining two months of the period, fairly steady monsoon winds prevailed, and well distributed rain was received over the greater part of India. North Bengal, North Bihar and Hyderabad which had obtained scanty rain in the two previous months, received favourable rain in August and September.

The chief features of the rainfall of the whole period were as follows:—

(1) The rainfall was in excess over the Indian area. The excess for the period, June to September, averaged 2.66 inches, and for the period, June to October, 4.36 inches.

(2) Rainfall was largely in excess in certain districts, due chiefly to the cyclonic downpours they received from the July cyclonic storms, *viz.*, Sind, Gujarat, Kathiawar, Rajputana and Central India.

(3) Rainfall was largely in excess in the North-Western Provinces, Bihar and Chota Nagpur, due to more frequent and heavier rain than usual throughout the whole season.

(4) Rainfall was normal or in moderate excess in Bengal, Orissa and Burma.

(5) Rainfall was in moderate excess in the northern half of the Peninsula, *i.e.*, in Berar and the Central Provinces.

(6) Rainfall was normal or in slight defect in the southern half of the Peninsula.

It is evident that the combination of an unusually strong south-east trades circulation and the presence of favourable conditions in India during the hot weather months of April and May 1894 would account for the following features:—

(1) The early and strong temporary advances of southerly humid winds in April and May over the Bay area directed chiefly to Burma.

(2) The early permanent establishment of the monsoon currents over the Indian seas and the coast districts of India in the beginning of June.

(3) Their rapid extension over the Indian land area to the limits of the Punjab.

(4) The unusual strength and steadiness of the monsoon currents.

The pressure and other conditions antecedent to and during the rains explain several of the larger features of the distribution of the rainfall of the period, more especially the following:—

(1) Rainfall was normal or in slight defect over the greater part of the peninsula. The rainfall in the peninsula is usually inverse in character to that in Northern India, as larger indraught to one area necessarily implies decreased indraught to the other.

(2) Heavy rainfall along and near the hills in northern India. This was chiefly due to the position of the trough of low pressure.

(3) The slight deficiency in parts of Assam, East and North Bengal, was due to the abnormal determination of the Bengal current to the Gangetic Plain and Upper India.

(4) The excessive rainfall in the North-Western Provinces was an even more prominent feature of the months of October and November than of the south-west monsoon proper. The causes are stated on page 637.

(5) Another feature of the season was that the distribution of the rainfall of August and September was complementary to that of June and July, falling most largely in the first period where it was most deficient in the second period, thus giving a general favourable distribution of rainfall in Northern and Central India, such as was indicated by the pressure conditions in May.

The following gives a summary of the variation data of the elements of observation for the period :—

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | MEAN VARIATION FROM NORMAL DURING SOUTH-WEST MONSOON PERIOD JUNE TO SEPTEMBER 1894 OF | | | | | | | |
|--|---|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|--------------------|------------------|
| | Mean pressure. | Mean maximum temperature. | Mean minimum temperature. | Mean temperature. | Mean aqueous vapour pressure. | Mean humidity. | Mean cloud amount. | TOTAL RAIN-FALL. |
| | Inches. | ° | ° | ° | Inches. | | | Inches. |
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands. | —'015 | —0'2 | +0'3 | +0'1 | + '009 | +1 | +1'2 | +9'35 |
| Burma Inland . | —'021 | —1'3 | 0 | —0'7 | ? | ? | ? | +5'20 |
| Assam . . | —'005 | —0'7 | —0'3 | —0'5 | + '001 | +1 | +0'3 | +3'30 |
| Bengal and Orissa . . | —'008 | —0'7 | —0'2 | —0'5 | —'015 | —1 | +0'7 | +0'74 |
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur. | —'010 | —1'2 | —0'5 | —0'8 | + '006 | +2 | +0'7 | +7'64 |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas. | —'012 | —2'6 | —0'3 | —1'5 | + '055 | +9 | +0'9 | +6'43 |
| Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. | —'014 | —0'6 | 0 | —0'3 | + '022 | +2 | +0'6 | +3'72 |
| East Rajputana, Central India and Gujarat. | —'016 | —1'9 | —0'4 | —1'2 | + '038 | +6 | +0'9 | +6'60 |
| Deccan . . | —'016 | —0'9 | 0 | —0'5 | + '021 | +4 | +0'6 | +2'13 |
| West Coast . | —'017 | +0'3 | +0'3 | +0'3 | + '004 | 0 | +0'4 | —8'87 |
| South India . | —0'20 | +0'5 | +0'3 | +0'4 | —'018 | —3 | +0'4 | —2'48 |

The preceding data show that the rainfall was more or less in excess in all the meteorological divisions, with the exception of the west coast districts and South India, and as might be expected from the increased rainfall, the amount of cloud was in excess, the air was damper than usual, and temperature (more especially the day temperature) below the normal over the whole of India with the exception of South India and the West Coast.

In all these respects the south-west monsoon period of 1894 resembled the corresponding period of the preceding year, the only difference being that the variations were not so large or prominent as in that year.

An examination of the Indian monsoon charts for 1893 and 1894 indicates the probable general conditions and changes accompanying the advance of the monsoon currents over India. The following gives a statement of the more important facts :—

In the months of January and February north-east winds prevail steadily in the Indian seas and are continued across the Equator south and south-eastwards (as north and north-west winds) to about Lat. 8°S. or 10°S, where they are absorbed in the belt of calms and light variable winds, which separate the wind system of the north-east trades

from that of the south-east trades of the Indian ocean. This belt of calms is transferred northwards in March and April, carrying with it the northern limit of the south-east trades, and in the month of April it lies over the Equator. The north-east winds to the north of the equatorial belt of calms and variable winds in January and February disappear in March, and are replaced by westerly winds which are at first light and unsteady, but gradually increase in strength and extend northwards. The large rainfall in the Nicobars, the Andamans and Tenassarim, and also in Travancore and Ceylon, in April, is mainly due to these westerly humid winds.

The equatorial belt of light variable winds hence serves as a reservoir into which the south-east trades are absorbed, and from which these westerly winds advance in April; but these two air currents are independent, so far that the latter is not the direct continuation of the former. A large change, however, occurs in the latter part of May, due to the increasing gradients in the Indian Ocean, as well as to the increasing gradients in the Indian area due to the increasing intensity of the hot weather conditions in that area. Pressure increases rather rapidly in the equatorial belt. The belt of calms and light variable winds contracts and finally vanishes, and the south-east trades advance as a horizontal current across the Equator, and are continued northwards as a massive humid current over the Indian seas. The burst of the monsoon is due to this important change over the equatorial belt.

The retreating south-west monsoon period (October to December 1894).—The general character of the pressure and other changes, which accompany the retreat of the south-west monsoon circulation from the Indian land area, was stated in pages 583-4 of the Annual Summary for the year 1893. The meteorology of the period, October to December 1894, is an interesting example of that statement and explanation given in last year's summary. As already stated the rains ceased earlier than usual in the second or third week of September in the Punjab and Rajputana. Pressure, however, did not rise so quickly as usual in September and October in Baluchistan and Upper India. The western extremity of the trough of low pressure was transferred from Sind and the South-East Punjab to the central and eastern districts of the North-Western Provinces. The first cyclonic storm of October advanced along the trough into the North-Western Provinces, and broke up there after giving a heavy downpour in the eastern and northern districts. In normal years the low pressure is usually transferred first eastwards into Bengal or Burma by rise of pressure in North-Western India and then southwards into the Bay or the Madras coast districts by rise of pressure in North-Eastern India and Burma. The local pressure changes were much less marked than usual after the first storm in October. The rise in the North-Western Provinces was

smaller than usual, and the changes in Bengal and Burma were also less marked. Hence the chief feature of this period from the second week to the end of the month was a much greater uniformity of pressure than usual, and a marked local deficiency of pressure in the Gangetic Plain, Central India and the northern districts of the Central Provinces. Two cyclonic storms or disturbances formed in the Bay during this period. They advanced along the normal track of storms of the period, *viz.*, in a west-north-west direction to the North and Central Madras coast districts. Instead of completely breaking up against the East Ghats and other hills of the Peninsula they only filled up partially and then advanced northwards into the depression area in the Gangetic Plain, and gave heavy and most untimely downpours in that area. These very abnormal features of the pressure distribution continued until the breaking up of the storm of the last week of October and first week of November, when a rapid local rise of pressure in North-Western India established high pressure conditions. Dry weather with clear skies prevailed over the whole of Northern and Central India during the remainder of that month.

The most remarkable feature of this period from the beginning of October to the end of the first week of November was the excessive rainfall in the North-Western Provinces and Central India and the heavy rainfall in Bihar and the northern districts of the Central Provinces. Over a portion of that area including the eastern and central districts of the North-Western Provinces and in Oudh the rainfall was heavier than has ever occurred in that period so far as is shown by the available rainfall records. The following gives data for this area of excessive rainfall:—

| DIVISION. | RAINFALL. | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
| | Actual, October 1894. | Actual, November 1894. | Total, October and November 1894. | Normal, October and November. |
| | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. | Inches. |
| Oudh, North . . . | 11'26 | 2'15 | 13'41 | 1'65 |
| Do., South . . . | 15'76 | 2'85 | 18'61 | 1'62 |
| North-Western Provinces, East. | 16'61 | 1'25 | 17'86 | 2'29 |
| Do. Central. | 11'25 | 2'78 | 14'03 | 1'13 |
| Bihar, North . . . | 6'69 | 0'89 | 7'58 | 3'67 |
| Do. South . . . | 7'59 | 1'47 | 9'06 | 3'35 |
| Baghelkhand . . . | 11'59 | 1'43 | 13'02 | 2'86 |

The causes of the heavy localized rainfall in that area, so far as they are shown by the data, are the following:—

- 1st.—Persistent local deficiency of pressure in that area from the month of May to the end of the rains. The depression was very small in amount, but is clearly shown not merely by the monthly data for the period, but by the mean pressure data for the year. This deficient pressure was established during the period of excessive temperature in May over

Bihar, Chota Nagpur and the eastern districts of the North-Western Provinces. One important result of this was to displace the trough of low pressure further north than usual, the axis stretching through the middle of the Gangetic Plain instead of along its southern edge as is usually the case. The trough of low pressure occupied during the greater part of the rainy season a more northerly position than usual, and that portion of it in the eastern districts of the North-Western Provinces was slightly deeper than usual, and hence formed a sink towards which the great majority of the cyclonic storms of the period drifted.

- 2nd.—The abnormal conditions stated in (1) explain in the first place why so large a number of the storms of the rains proper drifted from the Bay of Bengal to that area, and also why a considerable number redeveloped or intensified there due to the excessive local rainfall which followed their arrival in that area. As examples of this action may be mentioned the storm of the last week of the month of June and the first and third storms of the month of July.

- 3rd.—A comparison with the preceding year 1893 shows that similar pressure conditions (but less pronounced) obtained in the south-west monsoon period, and that there was a similar determination of the cyclonic storms of the rains to that area and hence more or less excessive rainfall.

- 4th.—The changes of pressure in North-Western India, which initiated the cold weather proper occurred more slowly and later than usual, and hence the abnormal pressure conditions, which had characterized that area during the rains, continued throughout the month of October, and were probably the chief factor in determining the march of the storms of that month to the Gangetic Plain.

If this be the correct explanation, the abnormal rainfall of the period in the Gangetic plain is an illustration of the very small pressure variations which frequently accompany and mark large local excess (or defect) of rainfall during the monsoon period.

Pressure increased considerably in North-Western India after the breaking up of the storm of the first week of November, and high pressure conditions were established in the second week of that month, and held steadily for some weeks. Pressure also increased locally in Burma and North-Eastern India in the third week of the month, and high pressure or north-east monsoon conditions were established in that area. Unusually dry and cool weather with strong northerly winds set in over Burma during the third week of the month. These conditions extended

westwards across the Bay, and began to affect the Coromandel coast districts in the fourth week of the month. The north-east winds due to these conditions gradually extended over the south of the Bay, and before the end of December had advanced southwards down to the equatorial belt, after which north-east monsoon conditions held steadily in the Bay. Weather was hence finer and drier throughout the month in Southern India. Little or no rain was received in the interior. Showers were of occasional occurrence in a narrow belt along the coast, which hence received moderate rain.

The south-west monsoon humid winds withdrew from the Bay somewhat earlier than usual, and the circumstances of their early withdrawal were, as shown later, almost identical with those which determined their early withdrawal in 1892 and 1893.

Weather was very disturbed in the Persian area in November, and more frequent and heavier rain fell in that area during that period than has occurred for many years. These conditions continued in December and extended across Baluchistan into Upper India, and frequent ill-defined disturbances gave unusual rain in the plains of Upper India, and heavy snow in the Kashmir and Punjab Himalayas. The Indian observations of the period throw no light upon the origin or cause of these abnormal conditions in the Persian area at this time.

The following table gives variation data of the ten meteorological provinces for the period October to December 1894 :—

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | VARIATION FROM NORMAL DURING THE PERIOD OCTOBER, NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER 1894 OF | | | | | | | |
|--|--|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-------------|---|--------------------------|
| | Mean pressure. | Mean maximum temperature. | Mean minimum temperature. | Mean aqueous vapour pressure. | Mean humidity. | Mean cloud. | Variation from normal of average actual rainfall. | Normal average rainfall. |
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands. | +023 | -01 | -07 | -040 | -3 | +02 | -480 | 1469 |
| Assam | +001 | -14 | +10 | +024 | +3 | +05 | +886 | 584 |
| Bengal and Orissa | +003 | -09 | +13 | +021 | +1 | +07 | +309 | 609 |
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur. | -005 | -17 | +29 | +081 | +8 | +15 | +836 | 306 |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas. | -007 | -21 | +24 | +039 | +8 | +14 | +387 | 102 |
| Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. | -004 | -08 | +04 | -036 | -7 | +04 | -002 | 042 |
| East Rajputana, Central India and Gujarat. | -005 | -16 | +13 | +048 | +7 | +07 | +378 | 106 |
| Deccan | -001 | -06 | +20 | +059 | +8 | +04 | +136 | 432 |
| West Coast | +011 | -01 | +02 | -011 | -1 | 0 | -281 | 1201 |
| South India | +009 | +04 | +01 | -005 | -1 | +01 | -194 | 1642 |

The preceding data indicate the chief features of the meteorological conditions of this period, which were as follows :—

1st.—The mean pressure for the whole of India was normal in amount. Pressure was in slight local excess in Southern India and the west coast and in moderate excess in Burma. It was in slight local defect in the Gangetic Plain, the Punjab, Rajputana and Central India.

2nd.—Rainfall was in moderate to large excess in the Gangetic Plain, the Punjab, Central India, Bengal and Assam. It was, on the other hand, in moderate defect in Burma and in slight defect in the west coast and Southern India.

3rd.—Cloud was in excess over the whole area except the west coast, where it was normal in average amount. The excess was large and marked in Chota Nagpur, the Gangetic Plain and Upper Sub-Himalayas (*i.e.*, the Punjab, except the western districts).

4th.—The air was damper and contained more aqueous vapour than usual over the whole of India, except (1) West Rajputana, Sind and the South and West Punjab, (2) Burma, and (3) South India and the west coast. The mean relative humidity was largely in excess in the Gangetic Plain and Sub-Himalayas, Central India and Gujarat and the Deccan.

5th.—The mean day or maximum temperature was below the normal over the whole area except South India and the mean night temperature above it over the whole area, except Burma. The variations were hence inverse, except in South India and Burma, and the mean temperature of the period hence differed very slightly from the normal. The variations of the maximum and minimum were greatest in Chota Nagpur, the Gangetic Plain and the Sub-Himalayas, and the mean diurnal range of the period was $4\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ less than the normal in these districts.

The following gives variation data of ten meteorological provinces for the period, November and December

1894, for comparison with the data of the corresponding table on page 586 of the 1893 Annual Summary :—

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | VARIATION FROM NORMAL DURING THE PERIOD NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER 1894 OF | | | | | | |
|--|--|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------|-------------|--------------------------|
| | Mean pressure. | Mean maximum temperature. | Mean minimum temperature. | Mean aqueous vapour pressure. | Mean humidity. | Mean cloud. | Average actual rainfall. |
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands. | +034 | 0 | -11 | -059 | -5 | -01 | -400 |
| Assam | +024 | -14 | +08 | +012 | +3 | 0 | +250 |
| Bengal and Orissa . | +024 | -11 | +11 | +016 | +1 | +02 | +202 |
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur. | +017 | -13 | +28 | +067 | +7 | +08 | +153 |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas. | +014 | -33 | +31 | +054 | +12 | +21 | +333 |
| Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. | +015 | -14 | +14 | -030 | -8 | +08 | +004 |
| East Rajputana, Central India and Gujarat. | +013 | -17 | +13 | +051 | +8 | +07 | +118 |
| Deccan | +017 | -02 | +18 | +045 | +7 | -01 | -001 |
| West Coast | +023 | +03 | +01 | -024 | -3 | -05 | -233 |
| South India | +026 | +02 | -01 | -006 | -1 | -01 | -300 |

The preceding data indicate that in this period, as for the longer period October to December, the mean maximum temperature was below the normal, the mean minimum temperature, the mean absolute and relative humidities, cloud and rainfall were in excess in Assam, Bengal, the Gangetic Plain, Sub-Himalayas, East Rajputana, Central India and the Deccan, and that these features were on the whole most pronounced in the Gangetic Plain and Sub-Himalayas. The relative and absolute humidity, and the amount of cloud and rainfall, were on the other hand below the normal in Burma, the West coast and Southern India.

The larger features of the meteorology of this period were hence very persistent. The only noteworthy difference between the mean data of the two periods is that pressure was in moderate general excess over the Indian area during the period November and December, and was normal on the mean of the period October to December due to the deficiency of pressure in October. The relative variations were, however, unchanged, for the column "Variation of mean pressure" shows that pressure was most largely in excess in November and December in Burma and South India, and was least in excess in the Gangetic Plain, Upper Sub-Himalayas, Rajputana and Central India. In other words, pressure was relatively in local excess in the former area and in local defect in the latter.

The following table giving the pressure anomalies of the eleven meteorological provinces in India for the

months of September, October, November and December, illustrates the more important pressure conditions of the period :—

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | PRESSURE ANOMALY. | | | | | |
|--|-------------------|----------|-----------|-----------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| | September. | October. | November. | December. | Mean of October to December. | Mean of November and December. |
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands | +003 | +033 | +017 | +010 | +020 | +014 |
| Burma Inland | +002 | +021 | +014 | +014 | +016 | +014 |
| Assam | +019 | -013 | +006 | +001 | -002 | +004 |
| Bengal and Orissa . . | +012 | -004 | +004 | +002 | +001 | +003 |
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nagpur. | +005 | -016 | -005 | -002 | -008 | -004 |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas . | -002 | -016 | -013 | 0 | -010 | -007 |
| Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. | +001 | -008 | -013 | +001 | -007 | -006 |
| East Rajputana, Central India and Gujarat. | -004 | -006 | +001 | -017 | -007 | -008 |
| Deccan | -008 | -004 | +003 | -011 | -004 | -004 |
| West Coast | 0 | +020 | 0 | +005 | +008 | +003 |
| South India | -009 | +010 | +001 | +009 | +007 | +005 |

The data of the preceding table show clearly the persistent excess of pressure during the whole period October to December in Burma, and (to a less extent) in Southern India, and the equally persistent deficiency in North-Western and Central India. It is also noteworthy that the local pressure variations or anomalies were generally opposite in character in September, and hence that the conditions which obtained in October and the following months were due to conditions and actions initiated in the latter part of September and in October.

The abnormal conditions established in Burma and Assam were apparently the extension of conditions in the large plateau area to the north. Similar conditions prevailed in the corresponding periods of 1892 and 1893. The following gives a comparison of the antecedent conditions in Burma and Assam during the three years :—

ASSAM.

| VARIATION FROM NORMAL OF | 1892. | | | 1893. | | | 1894. | | |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|------|
| | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. |
| Mean monthly pressure. | +031 | -029 | -021 | +010 | -012 | -005 | -016 | +001 | -048 |
| Mean daily temperature. | -12 | +11 | -06 | -10 | -05 | -04 | -10 | -16 | -01 |
| Mean humidity . . . | +2 | -2 | 0 | +2 | -2 | +2 | +1 | +3 | +5 |
| Mean cloud | +05 | -02 | -05 | +01 | -06 | +02 | +06 | +10 | +14 |
| Average actual rainfall. | +776 | -142 | +219 | +349 | -585 | +197 | +250 | +717 | +638 |

| BURMA. | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|
| VARIATION FROM NORMAL OF | 1892. | | | 1893. | | | 1894. | | |
| | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. | Aug. | Sept. | Oct. |
| Mean monthly pressure | +0.021 | -0.016 | -0.011 | -0.014 | -0.023 | -0.012 | -0.025 | -0.015 | 0 |
| Mean daily temperature | +0.3 | -0.5 | -0.4 | +0.4 | -0.6 | -1.2 | +0.1 | +0.5 | -0.3 |
| Mean humidity | -3 | -1 | -1 | -1 | +1 | +1 | +1 | +1 | 0 |
| Mean cloud | +0.2 | +0.8 | -0.2 | +0.6 | +1.1 | +1.3 | +0.6 | +0.9 | +0.4 |
| Average actual rainfall | -6.43 | +0.81 | +0.26 | -0.47 | +2.09 | +3.20 | +0.90 | -0.12 | -1.50 |

The following tables give a comparison of the same elements of observation for the months of November and December of the three years 1892, 1893 and 1894:—

ASSAM.

| VARIATION FROM NORMAL OF | 1892. | | 1893. | | 1894. | |
|--------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | Novem-ber. | Decem-ber. | Novem-ber. | Decem-ber. | Novem-ber. | Decem-ber. |
| Mean monthly pressure | -0.039 | +0.030 | +0.068 | +0.065 | +0.044 | +0.004 |
| Mean daily temperature | -0.7 | -0.5 | 0 | -2.4 | -0.5 | -0.1 |
| Mean humidity | -1 | 0 | +2 | -3 | +3 | +2 |
| Mean cloud | -0.8 | -0.2 | +0.1 | -2.0 | 0 | 0 |
| Average actual rainfall | +1.29 | -0.19 | -0.40 | -0.43 | +2.42 | +0.08 |

The year.—The following gives a tabular summary of the meteorological data of the year 1894 for the eleven meteorological provinces of India:—

Mean provincial meteorological data for the year 1894.

| PROVINCE. | Bar. variation, 1894. | Mean maximum, 1894. | Variation, 1894. | Mean minimum. | Variation. | Mean daily temperature. | Variation. | Mean daily range. | Absolute range. | Mean monthly absolute range. | Rainfall. | Normal Rainfall. | Variation from normal. |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|------------------|---------------|------------|-------------------------|------------|-------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|-----------|------------------|------------------------|
| Burma Coast and Bay Islands | -0.012 | 87.5 | -0.2 | 72.8 | +0.4 | 80.1 | +0.1 | 14.7 | 39.2 | 22.9 | 153.07 | 116.86 | +11.92 |
| Burma Inland | -0.006 | 88.1 | -1.3 | 67.0 | +0.3 | 77.6 | -0.5 | 21.1 | 58.8 | 32.4 | 57.26 | 52.98 | +7.21 |
| Assam | -0.013 | 82.6 | -0.2 | 67.6 | +0.4 | 75.2 | +0.1 | 15.0 | 52.8 | 27.1 | 118.64 | 103.84 | +14.80 |
| Bengal and Orissa | -0.012 | 86.1 | 0 | 70.0 | +0.7 | 78.1 | +0.3 | 16.2 | 55.4 | 27.8 | 72.48 | 69.75 | +0.94 |

BURMA.

| VARIATION FROM NORMAL OF | 1892. | | 1893. | | 1894. | |
|--------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | Novem-ber. | Decem-ber. | Novem-ber. | Decem-ber. | Novem-ber. | Decem-ber. |
| Mean monthly pressure | -0.035 | +0.045 | +0.058 | +0.040 | +0.055 | +0.013 |
| Mean daily temperature | 0 | -2.4 | -0.9 | -3.5 | -1.0 | -0.2 |
| Mean humidity | 0 | -5 | -2 | -6 | -5 | -4 |
| Mean cloud | +0.4 | -0.7 | -1.1 | -1.0 | -0.7 | 0 |
| Average actual rainfall | -1.60 | -0.36 | -2.68 | -0.31 | -2.14 | -0.15 |

The preceding data show fully the character of the important changes in progress in Assam and Burma in November and their influence on the meteorology of Southern India in December.

The data for Burma and the Bay area establish that north-east winds set in over the Eastern Peninsula and the Andaman Sea in the latter half of November. The south-west winds in the south of the Bay gave way rapidly in the last week of November and the first week of December, and north-east monsoon winds were apparently established over the whole of the Bay before the middle of that month.

The indications in Burma during November of the existence of an abnormally cool and dry north-east air current in that area were excessive pressure, great dryness of the air and deficient temperature, cloud and rainfall.

The rainfall due to the retreating south-west monsoon current in Southern India (the so-called north-east monsoon) ceased much earlier than usual; and was in December small in amount and confined to a narrow strip of the South Coromandel Coast. It also occurred during the periods, when the winds of the north-east monsoon proper were strongest, and hence when the anti-cyclonic or high pressure conditions in North-Western India were most strongly marked, and as these conditions were less pronounced in December 1894 than in the corresponding month of 1893 the rainfall in the former month in the South Coromandel Coast districts was less in amount than in the latter.

Mean provincial meteorological data for the year 1894—continued.

| PROVINCE. | Bar. variation, 1894. | Mean maximum, 1894. | Variation, 1894. | Mean minimum. | Variation. | Mean daily tempera- ture. | Variation. | Mean daily range. | Absolute range. | Mean monthly absolute range. | Rainfall. | Normal Rainfall. | Variation from normal. |
|---|-----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|------------------|------------|------------------------------------|------------|-------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------|---------------------|------------------------------|
| Gangetic Plain and Chota Nag- pur. | -.015 | 87.3 | -0.6 | 68.0 | +1.2 | 77.7 | +0.3 | 19.4 | 68.1 | 32.3 | 59.36 | 45.52 | +14.00 |
| Upper Sub-Himalayas . . . | -.011 | 85.0 | -2.1 | 63.4 | +0.9 | 74.2 | -0.6 | 21.6 | 74.1 | 36.9 | 52.82 | 39.96 | +12.86 |
| Indus Valley and North-Western Rajputana. | -.008 | 90.1 | -0.7 | 65.3 | +0.3 | 77.8 | -0.2 | 25.0 | 79.0 | 41.7 | 15.56 | 10.16 | +4.64 |
| East Rajputana, Central India and Gujarat. | -.007 | 89.1 | -1.0 | 66.9 | +0.7 | 78.0 | -0.2 | 22.1 | 66.8 | 35.9 | 39.93 | 32.36 | +7.57 |
| Deccan | -.009 | 89.8 | -0.4 | 68.0 | +1.0 | 78.9 | +0.3 | 21.8 | 60.7 | 33.8 | 43.19 | 43.88 | +2.54 |
| West Coast | -.006 | 86.1 | +0.4 | 74.4 | +0.4 | 80.3 | +0.4 | 11.7 | 30.1 | 19.5 | 91.06 | 104.55 | -13.80 |
| South India | -.009 | 89.4 | +0.2 | 72.0 | +0.2 | 80.7 | +0.2 | 17.5 | 45.8 | 27.8 | 37.21 | 43.78 | -4.89 |
| Mean of whole India from Table I. | -.010 | 87.4 | -0.5 | 68.7 | +0.6 | 78.1 | 0 | 18.7 | 57.3 | 30.7 | 67.33 | 60.33 | +5.25 |
| Mean of whole India from Table II. | -.012 | 87.4 | -0.5 | 68.8 | +0.7 | 77.2 | +0.2 | 18.6 | 56.5 | ... | ... | ... | ... |

The mean 8 A.M. pressure of the year was in slight defect over the whole of India by amounts averaging .010". The deficiency was least in the west coast districts and greatest in the Gangetic Plain. The mean maximum temperature was normal or in defect in all the provinces except the west coast and Southern India. The deficiency was considerable in the Upper Sub-Himalayas (-2.1°). The mean night or minimum temperature was above the normal in all divisions. The excess was most marked in the Gangetic Plain ($+1.2^{\circ}$) and the Deccan ($+1.0^{\circ}$). The mean temperature of the whole Indian land area was according to the data of Table I normal, and according to those of Table II, 0.2 in excess. The variations for the year were less than $\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ in all divisions, except the Upper Sub-Hima-

layas (-0.6°) and perhaps Burma Inland (-0.5°). The year was more cloudy and damper than the normal. The most noteworthy feature of the year was the excessive rainfall. The mean for the whole of India was in excess in the first three divisions of the year, and the excess for the whole year (taking into consideration the areas represented by the rainfall stations) was 6.48 inches. The rainfall of the year was more or less considerably in excess in Northern and Central India. It was between 20 and 25 per cent. above the normal in Central India and Tenasserim, between 30 and 40 per cent. in the Punjab and between 40 and 50 per cent. in the North-Western Provinces, Gujarat and Sind. It was normal or in slight excess in the Peninsula.

Table

Abstract of observations taken at 8 A.M.

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE OR DISTRICT. | STATION. | Elevation of Bar Cistern above sea level in feet. | PRESSURE AT 8 A.M. IN INCHES. | | | | | | | TEMPERATURE OF AIR. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|------------------|---|--|------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--|-----------------------------|------------------------------|------|
| | | | Mean actual pressure (reduced to 32°.) | Variation from normal. | Mean pressure reduced to sea level and to constant gravity 45° Lat. | Highest pressure recorded during year. | Lowest pressure recorded during year. | Absolute range during year. | Mean monthly range of pressure. | Mean of 8 A.M. of year. | Mean maximum of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Mean minimum of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Mean daily temperature of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Mean daily range of temperature. | Highest temperature observed during year. | Lowest temperature observed during year. | Absolute range during year. | Mean monthly absolute range. | |
| I.—Burma Coast and Bay Islands | | | ... | ... | -.012 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 87.5 | -0.2 | 72.8 | +0.4 | 80.1 | +0.1 | 14.7 | ... | ... | 39.2 | 22.9 | |
| BAY ISLANDS . | Port Blair . . . | 61 | 29.841 | ? | 29.832 | 30.009 | 29.648 | .361 | .170 | 80.4 | 86.8 | ? | 77.2 | ? | 82.0 | ? | 9.5 | 96.3 | 70.0 | 26.3 | 16.7 | |
| TENASSERIM . | Mergui . . . | 96 | .839 | ? | .868 | .021 | .664 | .357 | .172 | 78.3 | 87.2 | ? | 71.7 | ? | 79.5 | ? | 15.5 | 91.5 | 60.2 | 34.9 | 24.7 | |
| | Tavoy . . . | 26 | .916 | ? | .873 | .118 | .694 | .424 | .172 | 75.8 | 87.5 | ? | 69.9 | ? | 78.8 | ? | 17.6 | 97.7 | 53.2 | 44.5 | 26.8 | |
| | Moulmein . . . | 94 | (a) .846 | ? | (a) .878 | .051 | .622 | .429 | .189 | 75.9 | 88.2 | +0.1 | 72.4 | +0.3 | 80.3 | +0.2 | 15.8 | 99.4 | 58.9 | 40.5 | 24.0 | |
| | Toungoo . . . | 181 | .711 | -.009 | .837 | 29.967 | .451 | .516 | .208 | 75.3 | 89.5 | -0.6 | 70.7 | +0.5 | 80.1 | -0.1 | 18.7 | 104.7 | 50.1 | 54.6 | 28.2 | |
| LOWEE BURMA . | Rangoon . . . | 41 | .864 | -.015 | .842 | 30.009 | .510 | .589 | .213 | 75.6 | 89.7 | +0.4 | 72.7 | 0 | 81.2 | +0.2 | 17.0 | 102.6 | 57.2 | 45.4 | 24.6 | |
| | Basseln . . . | 27 | .878 | ? | .840 | .127 | .609 | .518 | .202 | 76.2 | 88.2 | +0.3 | 71.9 | +0.1 | 80.1 | +0.2 | 16.3 | 100.7 | 57.5 | 43.2 | 23.9 | |
| | Diamond Island . | 41 | .859 | -.011 | .835 | .085 | .622 | .463 | .188 | 79.4 | 84.3 | -1.3 | 76.7 | +1.8 | 80.5 | +0.3 | 7.6 | 90.6 | 70.9 | 19.7 | 13.7 | |
| ARAKAN . . . | Akyab . . . | 20 | .863 | -.012 | .826 | .146 | .550 | .596 | .220 | 75.6 | 85.9 | -0.3 | 71.7 | -0.5 | 78.8 | -0.4 | 14.2 | 97.2 | 53.2 | 44.0 | 23.5 | |
| II.—Burma Inland . . . | | | ... | ... | -.007 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 88.1 | -1.3 | 67.0 | +0.3 | 77.6 | -0.5 | 21.1 | ... | ... | 58.8 | 32.4 | |
| CENTRAL BURMA . | Thayetmyo . . . | 134 | .751 | -.007 | .828 | .038 | .487 | .551 | .220 | 75.9 | 91.1 | -0.6 | 69.6 | +0.1 | 80.4 | -0.3 | 21.5 | 105.1 | 47.2 | 57.9 | 30.8 | |
| | Minbu . . . | ? | .718 | ? | ? | .035 | .451 | .584 | .232 | 76.1 | 93.1 | ? | 70.2 | ? | 81.7 | ? | 22.9 | 108.6 | 50.0 | 58.6 | 33.4 | |
| | Yamethin . . . | ? | .221 | ? | ? | 29.479 | 28.963 | .516 | .215 | 75.2 | 92.1 | ? | 69.0 | ? | 80.6 | ? | 23.1 | 106.1 | 46.1 | 60.0 | 34.4 | |
| | *Fort Stedman . | ? | 26.952 | ? | ? | 27.201 | 26.704 | .497 | .202 | 69.3 | 85.0 | ? | 63.1 | ? | 74.1 | ? | 21.8 | 100.1 | 40.1 | 60.0 | 32.9 | |
| UPPER BURMA . | Mandalay . . . | ? | 25.621 | ? | ? | 29.918 | 29.364 | .554 | .229 | 77.5 | 90.5 | ? | 71.3 | ? | 80.9 | ? | 19.2 | 106.1 | 51.2 | 54.9 | 29.8 | |
| | Kindat . . . | ? | .513 | ? | ? | .840 | .210 | .630 | .257 | 71.3 | 85.5 | -1.9 | 67.5 | +0.4 | 76.5 | -0.7 | 17.9 | 103.7 | 46.9 | 56.8 | 29.3 | |
| | Lashio . . . | ? | 27.102 | ? | ? | 27.348 | 26.862 | .486 | .214 | 65.3 | 81.2 | ? | 59.7 | ? | 70.6 | ? | 21.5 | 101.0 | 38.1 | 62.9 | 35.4 | |
| | Bhamo . . . | ? | 29.498 | ? | ? | 29.829 | 29.204 | .625 | .230 | 70.4 | 86.3 | ? | 65.5 | ? | 75.9 | ? | 20.9 | 100.0 | 40.9 | 59.1 | 33.0 | |
| III.—Assam . . . | | | ... | ... | -.013 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 82.6 | -0.2 | 67.6 | +0.4 | 75.2 | +0.1 | 15.0 | ... | ... | 52.8 | 27.1 | |
| ASSAM (SURMA) . | Silchar . . . | 104 | .778 | -.007 | .835 | 30.127 | .408 | .719 | .251 | 72.8 | 85.8 | 0 | 68.1 | +0.6 | 77.0 | +0.3 | 17.7 | 97.6 | 45.7 | 51.9 | 29.3 | |
| BRAHMAPUTRA . | Sibsagar . . . | 333 | .551 | -.018 | .847 | 29.960 | .217 | .743 | .294 | 69.2 | 80.2 | -1.2 | 66.1 | +0.1 | 73.2 | -0.6 | 14.1 | 96.2 | 43.1 | 53.1 | 26.9 | |
| | Dhubri . . . | 115 | .712 | -.013 | .814 | 30.132 | .404 | .728 | .289 | 71.3 | 81.9 | +0.6 | 68.6 | +0.4 | 75.3 | +0.5 | 13.3 | 102.3 | 49.0 | 53.3 | 25.1 | |
| IV.—Bengal and Orissa . . . | | | ... | ... | -.012 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 86.1 | 0 | 70.0 | +0.7 | 78.1 | +0.3 | 16.2 | ... | ... | 55.4 | 27.8 | |
| EAST BENGAL . | Chittagong . . . | 87 | .788 | -.008 | .823 | .111 | .319 | .792 | .254 | 74.6 | 84.7 | +0.3 | 69.5 | 0 | 77.1 | +0.2 | 15.2 | 96.2 | 49.6 | 46.6 | 24.9 | |
| | Lungleh . . . | ? | | | | Observations not recorded. | | | | | 66.4 | 73.1 | ? | 61.7 | ? | 67.4 | ? | 11.5 | 86.3 | 45.2 | 41.1 | 23.5 |
| | Noakhali . . . | 43 | .811 | ? | .802 | .163 | .407 | .756 | .257 | 75.2 | 84.3 | ? | 69.4 | ? | 76.9 | ? | 15.0 | 97.0 | 46.0 | 51.0 | 25.9 | |
| | Comilla . . . | 36 | .825 | ? | .809 | .175 | .444 | .731 | .259 | 74.8 | 85.9 | ? | 68.8 | ? | 77.4 | ? | 17.1 | 99.8 | 46.6 | 53.2 | 28.3 | |
| | Sirajganj . . . | 49 | .796 | ? | .795 | .175 | .417 | .758 | .269 | 73.7 | 85.3 | ? | 68.3 | ? | 76.8 | ? | 16.9 | 102.3 | 44.5 | 57.8 | 28.6 | |
| | Narayanganj . . | 26 | .826 | -.011 | .798 | .185 | .439 | .746 | .267 | 75.1 | 86.0 | -0.7 | 71.0 | +0.6 | 78.5 | -0.1 | 15.1 | 99.6 | 51.3 | 48.3 | 25.5 | |
| | Barisal . . . | 13 | .833 | -.012 | .791 | .196 | .427 | .769 | .270 | 76.3 | 85.1 | +0.1 | 70.8 | +0.6 | 78.0 | +0.4 | 14.4 | 98.3 | 50.0 | 48.3 | 25.0 | |
| | Mymensingh . . | 59 | .794 | -.015 | .805 | .149 | .441 | .708 | .260 | 72.8 | 84.2 | -0.2 | 68.5 | +0.6 | 76.4 | +0.2 | 15.7 | 98.2 | 45.6 | 52.6 | 27.0 | |
| | DELTAIC BENGAL . | Faridpore . . . | 467 | .814 | ? | .802 | .182 | .367 | .815 | .273 | 74.8 | 84.0 | ? | 69.8 | ? | 76.9 | ? | 14.2 | 98.5 | 48.0 | 50.5 | 26.4 |
| | | Jessore . . . | 33 | .809 | -.015 | .790 | .183 | .357 | .826 | .284 | 75.6 | 87.6 | -0.3 | 69.7* | -0.3* | 78.4* | -0.4* | 17.3 | 105.5 | 47.8 | 57.7 | 29.0 |
| Calcutta . . . | | 21 | .820 | -.013 | .786 | .209 | .237 | .972 | .295 | 75.6 | 86.4 | +0.1 | 71.0 | +0.5 | 78.7 | +0.3 | 15.4 | 104.9 | 50.2 | 54.7 | 27.7 | |
| Saugor Islands . | | 25 | .817 | -.010 | .787 | .199 | .278 | .921 | .287 | 77.7 | 85.3 | -0.1 | 74.2 | +0.6 | 79.7 | +0.3 | 11.1 | 97.2 | 52.2 | 45.0 | 22.6 | |
| Krishnagar . . . | | 47 | .791 | ? | .787 | .180 | .326 | .854 | .285 | 75.7 | 88.1 | ? | 69.3 | ? | 78.7 | ? | 18.8 | 105.2 | 46.0 | 59.2 | 30.9 | |
| CENTRAL BENGAL . | Midnapore . . . | 149 | .699 | ? | .796 | .092 | .198 | .894 | .288 | 77.1 | 90.7 | ? | 70.9 | ? | 80.8 | ? | 19.9 | 117.4 | 49.2 | 68.2 | 33.2 | |
| | Bankura . . . | 298 | .513 | ? | .766 | 29.887 | .027 | .860 | .279 | 75.6 | 89.6 | ? | 70.5 | ? | 80.1 | ? | 19.1 | 117.1 | 48.3 | 68.8 | 31.7 | |
| | Raniganj . . . | 334 | .502 | ? | .792 | .900 | .075 | .825 | .284 | 74.2 | 89.2 | ? | 70.0 | ? | 79.6 | ? | 19.1 | 114.8 | 47.7 | 67.1 | 31.2 | |

* Mean of 11 months.

(a) Mean of 10 months.

I.

at 199 stations in India, Burma, etc., in the year 1894.

| WIND DIRECTION. | | | | | | | | | WIND VELOCITY. | | | HYGROMETRY, 8 A.M. | | Mean cloud amount of year. | RAINFALL. | | | | | Heaviest rainfall during year. | STATION. | METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE OR DISTRICT. | |
|----------------------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|----------------------------------|---------|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|------------|-------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|----------|--------------------------------------|--|
| Number of winds from | | | | | | | | | Mean velocity in miles per hour. | Normal. | Percentage variation. | Mean humidity of year. | Mean vapour tension of year. | | Number of rainy days during year. | Normal number of rainy days during year. | Variation. | Rainfall of year. | Normal rainfall of year. | | | | Variation from normal of year. |
| Caln. | N. | N.E. | E. | S.E. | S. | S.W. | W. | N.W. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 26 | 29 | 49 | 29 | 29 | 24 | 80 | 71 | 28 | 7.6 | 7.4 | + 3 | 86 | .888 | 6.2 | 128 | P | P | 153.07 | 131.47 | +11.92 | 4.69 | I.—Burma Coast and Bay Islands. | BAY ISLANDS. TENASSERIM. LOWER BURMA. ARAKAN. |
| ... | 78 | 27 | 30 | 26 | 38 | 44 | 38 | 84 | 1.5 | 1.8 | -17 | 84 | .810 | 5.2 | 147 | P | P | 172.06 | 163.10 | + 8.96 | 4.20 | | |
| 313 | 8 | 12 | 5 | 1 | 4 | 12 | 1 | 8 | 2.0 | P | P | 86 | .777 | 3.9 | 143 | P | P | 230.54 | P | P | 8.07 | | |
| ... | 15 | 55 | 70 | 71 | 57 | 49 | 30 | 18 | 5.3 | 2.8 | +89 | 87 | .785 | 6.1 | 139 | 137.55 | +1.45 | 221.69 | 181.34 | +40.35 | 10.78 | | |
| 93 | 65 | 2 | 2 | 136 | 51 | ... | ... | 16 | 2.1 | 3.1 | -32 | 87 | .784 | 5.5 | 122 | 113.72 | +8.28 | 83.87 | 79.77 | + 4.10 | 3.28 | | |
| ... | 27 | 45 | 33 | 18 | 53 | 92 | 70 | 27 | 4.2 | 4.6 | - 9 | 89 | .798 | 5.1 | 126 | 119.16 | +6.84 | 95.52 | 95.27 | + 0.25 | 2.87 | | |
| 75 | 13 | 39 | 20 | 25 | 51 | 48 | 19 | 75 | 4.5 | 3.7 | +22 | 88 | .810 | 4.5 | 134 | 130.36 | +3.64 | 121.48 | 109.55 | +11.93 | 4.60 | | |
| 17 | 55 | 65 | 24 | 15 | 15 | 90 | 30 | 54 | 9.6 | 7.4 | +30 | 80 | .811 | 5.6 | 121 | 118.44 | +2.56 | 134.48 | 118.66 | +15.82 | 6.71 | | |
| 4 | 123 | 101 | 48 | 17 | 57 | 7 | 4 | 4 | 3.7 | 3.2 | +16 | 89 | .803 | 5.2 | 130 | 119.91 | +10.09 | 200.24 | 187.08 | +13.16 | 7.29 | | |
| 3 | 40 | 29 | 19 | 79 | 115 | 19 | 26 | 35 | 4.0 | 5.1 | -22 | 78 | .713 | 4.5 | 68 | 76.08 | -8.08 | 57.26 | 52.98 | +7.21 | 2.44 | II.—Burma Inland. | CENTRAL BURMA. UPPER BURMA. |
| 52 | 11 | 3 | 17 | 171 | 21 | 2 | 16 | 72 | 7.1 | P | P | 77 | .714 | 1.6 | 58 | P | P | 34.82 | 37.67 | - 2.85 | 2.01 | | |
| 64 | 41 | 7 | 1 | 199 | 29 | 2 | 2 | 20 | 6.7 | P | P | 81 | .711 | 2.7 | 86 | P | P | 29.41 | P | P | 3.50 | | |
| 216† | 3 | 5 | ... | ... | ... | 80 | 3 | 14 | P | P | P | 83 | .615 | 4.9 | 98 | P | P | 42.32 | P | P | 2.90 | | |
| 115 | 22 | 6 | 4 | 67 | 103 | 41 | 2 | 5 | 4.1 | P | P | 75 | .720 | 4.4 | 74 | P | P | 52.33 | P | P | 4.36 | | |
| 216 | 17 | 4 | 6 | 19 | 12 | 11 | 40 | 40 | 1.3 | P | P | 92 | .730 | 6.0 | 104 | P | P | 49.69 | P | P | 4.55 | | |
| 1 | 129 | 160 | ... | 7 | 3 | 35 | ... | 28 | P | P | P | 89 | .578 | 5.6 | 110 | P | P | 85.22 | 68.29 | +17.27 | 4.14 | | |
| 181 | 46 | 56 | 3 | 10 | 3 | 28 | 6 | 30 | 2.0 | P | P | 88 | .682 | 5.4 | 110 | P | P | 68.56 | P | P | 3.93 | | |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | | |
| 300 | 2 | 9 | 26 | 8 | 5 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2.5 | 2.7 | - 7 | 90 | .704 | 6.8 | 152 | 135.79 | +16.21 | 118.64 | 103.84 | +14.80 | 5.34 | III.—Assam. | ASSAM (SURMA). BRAHMAPUTRA. |
| 157 | 7 | 109 | 15 | 22 | 11 | 40 | 1 | 3 | 2.1 | 2.4 | -13 | 95 | .712 | 6.1 | 128 | 126.18 | +1.82 | 176.74 | 126.46 | +50.28 | 4.85 | | |
| 56 | 32 | 116 | 91 | 22 | 5 | 31 | 6 | 6 | 5.1 | 4.7 | + 9 | 88 | .703 | 5.4 | 113 | 87.39 | +25.61 | 97.02 | 92.61 | + 4.41 | 5.10 | | |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | IV.—Bengal and Orissa. | EAST BENGAL. DELTAIC BENGAL. CENTRAL BENGAL. |
| 18 | 35 | 85 | 62 | 94 | 44 | 7 | 4 | 6 | 4.8 | 5.1 | - 6 | 89 | .775 | 5.1 | 110 | 96.01 | +13.99 | 72.48 | 69.75 | +0.94 | 4.32 | | |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | P | P | P | 83 | .551 | P | 162 | P | P | 109.39 | 95.09 | +14.30 | 4.90 | | |
| ... | 53 | 60 | 72 | 77 | 36 | 45 | 9 | 13 | 4.7 | P | P | 90 | .811 | 3.7 | 122 | 108.60 | +13.40 | 140.59 | P | P | 4.85 | | |
| 67 | 26 | 9 | 92 | 61 | 85 | 12 | 3 | 10 | 4.2 | P | P | 91 | .810 | 4.7 | 109 | 101.66 | +7.34 | 130.22 | 121.57 | + 8.65 | 5.52 | | |
| 147 | 12 | 11 | 31 | 53 | 54 | 24 | 18 | 15 | 2.5 | P | P | 87 | .748 | 5.3 | 83 | 76.30 | +6.70 | 94.88 | 91.63 | + 3.25 | 5.03 | | |
| 32 | 32 | 21 | 44 | 83 | 54 | 27 | 14 | 27 | 5.5 | 4.5 | +22 | 87 | .785 | 5.5 | 108 | 89.49 | +18.51 | 51.28 | 61.16 | - 9.88 | 3.70 | | |
| 220 | 14 | 11 | 8 | 22 | 56 | 24 | 2 | 8 | 3.4 | P | P | 86* | .809* | 5.5 | 105 | 102.35 | +2.65 | 77.47 | 70.11 | + 7.36 | 5.90 | | |
| 52 | 17 | 53 | 99 | 97 | 16 | 11 | 10 | 10 | 3.5 | P | P | 89 | .739 | 5.0 | 121 | 104.65 | +16.35 | 93.21 | 76.78 | +15.95 | 5.25 | | |
| 149 | 20 | 5 | 25 | 51 | 83 | 18 | 6 | 8 | 2.9 | P | P | 88 | .790 | 4.0 | 108 | 88.80 | +19.20 | 95.92 | 84.99 | +10.93 | 5.57 | | |
| 104 | 18 | 3 | 21 | 88 | 64 | 25 | 12 | 29 | 3.0 | 3.2 | - 7 | 87 | .802 | 4.6 | 84 | 87.97 | -3.97 | 80.48 | 69.11 | +11.37 | 4.35 | | |
| 123 | 28 | 11 | 20 | 30 | 65 | 60 | 13 | 15 | 3.6 | 4.8 | -25 | 85 | .778 | 4.4 | 95 | 87.19 | +7.81 | 57.70 | 65.03 | - 7.33 | 2.36 | | |
| ... | 58 | 60 | 16 | 18 | 96 | 81 | 22 | 14 | 13.4 | 10.8 | +24 | 87 | .840 | 6.1 | 90 | 86.54 | +3.46 | 48.66 | 61.20 | -12.54 | 7.69 | | |
| 15 | 17 | 14 | 52 | 50 | 86 | 37 | 52 | 42 | 4.9 | P | P | 79 | .735 | 4.5 | 87 | 74.05 | +12.95 | 74.50 | 74.50 | + 1.52 | 3.71 | | |
| 40 | 83 | 43 | 4 | 39 | 83 | 47 | 1 | 25 | 4.0 | P | P | 75 | .726 | 2.6 | 81 | 76.45 | +4.55 | 57.51 | 53.86 | + 3.65 | 2.25 | | |
| 183 | 7 | 7 | 22 | 41 | 24 | 7 | 36 | 26 | 3.1 | P | P | 76 | .697 | 4.1 | 83 | 82.80 | +0.20 | 44.00 | 56.03 | -12.03 | 3.05 | | |
| 92 | 38 | 27 | 21 | 44 | 27 | 28 | 26 | 61 | 3.3* | P | P | 81 | .705 | 3.0 | 91 | 72.85 | +18.15 | 55.77 | 56.59 | - 0.82 | 4.89 | | |

* Mean of 11 months.

† Wind direction for 321 days

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Table

Abstract of observations taken at 8 A.M.

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE OR DISTRICT. | STATION. | Elevation of Bar Cistern above sea level in feet. | PRESSURE 8 A.M. IN INCHES. | | | | | | | TEMPERATURE OF AIR. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--|------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--|-----------------------------|------------------------------|-------|
| | | | Mean actual pressure (reduced to 32°). | Variation from normal. | Mean pressure reduced to sea level and to constant gravity 45° Lat. | Highest pressure recorded during year. | Lowest pressure recorded during year. | Absolute range during year. | Mean monthly range of pressure. | Mean of 8 A.M. of year. | Mean maximum of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Mean minimum of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Mean daily temperature of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Mean daily range of temperature. | Highest temperature observed during year. | Lowest temperature observed during year. | Absolute range during year. | Mean monthly absolute range. | |
| NORTH BENGAL | Burdwan . . . | 99 | 29.738 | -.016 | 29.785 | 30.126 | 29.256 | .870 | .287 | 75.3 | 88.5 | -0.3 | 71.1 | +0.7 | 79.8 | +0.2 | 17.4 | 112.3 | 50.1 | 62.2 | 29.3 | |
| | Naya Dumka . . | 489 | .331 | ? | .785 | 29.744 | 28.910 | .834 | .280 | 74.8 | 87.7 | ? | 68.9 | ? | 78.3 | ? | 18.8 | 114.7 | 45.3 | 69.4 | 31.3 | |
| | Berhampore . . | 67 | .774 | -.013 | .790 | 30.172 | 29.356 | .816 | .282 | 74.5 | 87.4 | -0.2 | 70.6 | +1.1 | 79.0 | +0.5 | 16.8 | 112.7 | 50.2 | 62.5 | 28.6 | |
| | Rampur Boalia . | 70 | .763 | ? | .784 | .163 | .351 | .812 | .279 | 75.9 | 86.2 | ? | 69.7 | ? | 78.0 | ? | 16.6 | 105.0 | 46.0 | 58.4 | 28.5 | |
| | Malda* . . . | 72 | .778 | ? | .804 | .184 | .331 | .853 | .283 | 74.1 | 87.5 | ? | 67.4 | ? | 77.5 | ? | 20.1 | 112.5 | 42.5 | 70.0 | 32.6 | |
| | Bogra . . . | 61 | .776 | ? | .790 | .160 | .418 | .742 | .255 | 74.1 | 86.2 | +0.3 | 68.3 | +0.6 | 77.3 | +0.5 | 17.9 | 103.3 | 46.2 | 57.1 | 29.1 | |
| | Dinajpur . . . | 123 | .723 | -.004 | .803 | .123 | .332 | .791 | .283 | 72.8 | 85.1* | 0 | 68.1 | +1.3 | 76.5* | +0.7 | 17.3 | 102.6 | 45.0 | 57.6 | 28.5 | |
| | Rangur . . . | 123 | .727 | ? | .807 | .125 | .368 | .757 | .286 | 72.7 | 85.1 | ? | 67.2 | ? | 76.2 | ? | 17.9 | 100.7 | 42.4 | 58.3 | 28.8 | |
| | Jalpaiguri . . | 284 | .575 | ? | .823 | 29.976 | .220 | .756 | .298 | 71.8 | 84.0 | +0.3 | 66.6 | +1.3 | 75.3 | +0.8 | 17.4 | 98.4 | 44.6 | 53.8 | 28.6 | |
| ORISSA . . . | Balasore . . . | 56 | .778 | -.017 | .781 | 30.171 | .306 | .865 | .286 | 76.4 | 88.7 | +0.9 | 71.2 | +1.0 | 79.9 | +1.0 | 17.5 | 111.0 | 48.9 | 62.1 | 30.2 | |
| | False Point . . | 21 | .828 | -.008 | .791 | .197 | .368 | .829 | .270 | 77.9 | 85.5 | -0.4 | 72.6 | +0.6 | 79.1 | +0.1 | 12.9 | 99.5 | 50.0 | 49.5 | 24.5 | |
| | Cuttack . . . | 80 | .757 | -.017 | .781 | .127 | .347 | .780 | .262 | 78.2 | 91.2 | -0.2 | 73.4 | +0.9 | 82.3 | +0.4 | 17.8 | 111.3 | 52.6 | 58.7 | 29.5 | |
| | Shortt's Islands . | ? | .820 | ? | ? | .172 | .128 | 1.044 | .307 | 79.9 | 85.3 | ? | 75.9 | ? | 80.6 | ? | 9.4 | 95.6 | 63.1 | 32.5 | 19.3 | |
| | Puri . . . | 24 | .823 | ? | .778 | .197 | .443 | .754 | .261 | 78.3 | 85.9 | ? | 74.9 | ? | 80.4 | ? | 11.0 | 94.7 | 55.6 | 39.1 | 22.4 | |
| V.—Gangetic Plain and Chota-Nagpur. | | | ... | ... | -.015 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 87.3 | -0.6 | 68.0 | +1.2 | 77.7 | +0.3 | 19.4 | ... | ... | 68.1 | 32.3 | |
| CHOTA NAGPUR | Hazaribagh . . | 2,007 | 27.809 | -.018* | .778 | 28.150 | 27.441 | .709 | .246 | 72.2 | 84.6 | +0.3 | 66.1 | +0.8 | 75.4 | +0.5 | 18.5 | 108.6 | 42.2 | 66.4 | 31.4 | |
| | Ranchi . . . | 2,128 | .695 | ? | .779 | .065 | .306 | .759 | .241 | 72.0 | 83.8 | ? | 65.8 | ? | 74.9 | ? | 18.0 | 107.5 | 44.4 | 63.1 | 30.1 | |
| | Daltonganj . . | 730† | Observations not recorded. | | | | | | | 73.1 | 88.9 | ? | 67.1 | ? | 78.0 | ? | 21.8 | 114.7 | 40.5 | 74.2 | 36.5 | |
| BEHAR, SOUTH | Chaibassa . . | 760 | 29.057 | -.012† | .773 | 29.435 | 28.607 | .828 | .268 | 76.1 | 89.7* | +1.3† | 69.9 | +1.2 | 79.6* | +1.3 | 20.4* | 117.8 | 45.4 | 72.4 | 32.9 | |
| | Gaya . . . | 375 | .447 | -.016 | .782 | .865 | 29.043 | .822 | .256 | 75.4 | 89.4 | -0.5 | 69.4 | +1.0 | 79.3 | +0.3 | 20.0 | 114.1 | 47.4 | 66.7 | 32.6 | |
| | Dehri . . . | 351 | .474 | ? | .782 | .894 | .100 | .794 | .262 | 77.7 | 88.6 | ? | 70.3 | ? | 79.5 | ? | 18.4 | 114.5 | 49.0 | 65.5 | 31.0 | |
| | Patna . . . | 183 | .645 | -.020 | .783 | 30.069 | .223 | .846 | .275 | 75.3 | 87.2 | -0.6 | 69.9 | +1.6 | 78.6 | +0.5 | 17.3 | 114.1 | 45.4 | 68.7 | 30.0 | |
| | Arrah . . . | 190 | .628 | ? | .773 | .055 | .218 | .837 | .267 | 74.7 | 88.6 | ? | 69.2 | ? | 78.9 | ? | 19.4 | 113.9 | 45.1 | 68.8 | 31.3 | |
| BEHAR, NORTH | Buxar . . . | 239 | .583 | ? | .781 | .003 | .188 | .815 | .260 | 75.0 | 87.4 | ? | 69.1 | ? | 78.3 | ? | 18.4 | 111.9 | 44.4 | 67.5 | 30.4 | |
| | Purnea . . . | 125 | .711 | -.010 | .793 | .137 | .301 | .836 | .299 | 72.5 | 86.3 | -0.5 | 67.9 | +1.9 | 77.1 | +0.7 | 18.4 | 106.3 | 45.3 | 61.0 | 31.0 | |
| | Bhagalpur . . | 160 | .663 | ? | .778 | .089 | .240 | .849 | .288 | 75.0 | 87.5 | ? | 68.0 | ? | 77.8 | ? | 19.5 | 111.8 | 46.0 | 65.8 | 31.2 | |
| | Darbhanga . . | 166 | .663 | -.018 | .786 | .087 | .258 | .829 | .285 | 73.5 | 85.7 | +0.1 | 69.2 | +0.6 | 77.5 | +0.4 | 16.5 | 107.0 | 47.1 | 59.9 | 28.4 | |
| | Muzaffarpur . | 178 | .654 | ? | .789 | .078 | .257 | .821 | .278 | 73.0 | 86.0 | ? | 68.0 | ? | 77.0 | ? | 18.1 | 109.2 | 46.3 | 62.9 | 30.3 | |
| | Motihari . . | 224 | .602 | ? | .787 | .028 | .184 | .844 | .279 | 72.9 | 86.1 | ? | 66.1 | ? | 76.2 | ? | 20.1 | 108.0 | 43.3 | 64.7 | 32.8 | |
| | Chapra . . . | 181 | .648 | ? | .786 | .062 | .240 | .822 | .273 | 74.8 | 87.4 | ? | 69.2 | ? | 78.3 | ? | 18.2 | 113.2 | 45.7 | 67.5 | 30.4 | |
| | N.-W. PROVINCES (EASTERN DISTRICTS). | Benares . . . | 267 | .553 | -.012 | .782 | 29.961 | .140 | .821 | .257 | 73.7 | 88.1 | -1.5 | 67.8 | +0.9 | 78.0 | -0.3 | 20.3 | 114.8 | 44.5 | 70.3 | 33.4 |
| | Allahabad . . | 309 | .505 | -.017 | .778 | .911 | .095 | .816 | .260 | 75.2 | 88.6 | -1.3 | 68.3 | +1.7 | 78.5 | +0.2 | 20.3 | 114.2 | 43.9 | 70.3 | 33.8 | |
| N.-W. PROVINCES (EAST SUBMONTANE). | Gorakhpur . . | 256 | .558 | -.013 | .778 | .967 | .136 | .831 | .268 | 73.5 | 86.2 | -1.8 | 68.0 | +0.8 | 77.1 | -0.5 | 18.2 | 112.4 | 45.3 | 67.1 | 30.3 | |
| OUDH, SOUTH. | Lucknow . . . | 375 | .451 | -.008 | .788 | .866 | .040 | .826 | .271 | 73.5 | 88.2 | -1.5 | 66.2 | +1.0 | 77.2 | -0.3 | 21.9† | 113.8 | 42.2 | 71.6 | 36.3 | |
| | OUDH, NORTH . | Baraich . . . | 403 | .412 | ? | .786 | .790 | 28.989 | .801 | .277 | 72.9 | 87.0 | ? | 67.9† | ? | 78.0† | ? | 20.2† | 113.6 | 37.1 | 76.5 | 33.3† |
| N.-W. PROVINCES (CENTRAL). | Cawnpore . . | 416 | .398 | ? | .781 | .795 | 29.016 | .779 | .258 | 74.1 | 87.9 | ? | 66.7 | ? | 77.3 | ? | 21.2 | 113.9 | 41.0 | 72.9 | 35.7 | |
| | Mainpuri . . | 516 | .302 | ? | .783 | .685 | 28.906 | .779 | .268 | 72.7 | 88.4 | ? | 66.0 | ? | 77.3 | ? | 22.5 | 114.7 | 40.5 | 74.2 | 37.1 | |
| VI.—Upper Sub-Himalayas | | | ... | ... | -.011 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 85.0 | -2.1 | 63.4 | +0.9 | 74.2 | -0.6 | 21.6 | ... | ... | 74.1 | 36.9 | |
| N.-W. PROVINCES (SUBMONTANE). | Bareilly . . . | 568 | .237 | -.007 | .782 | .644 | .822 | .822 | .268 | 71.1 | 85.7 | -1.8 | 65.6 | +1.1 | 75.6 | -0.4 | 20.2 | 111.9 | 41.7 | 70.2 | 33.4 | |
| | Dehra Dun . . | 2,233 | 27.590 | -.015 | .807 | 27.921 | 27.240 | .681 | .255 | 66.3 | 80.0 | -0.8 | 61.5 | +0.6 | 70.7 | -0.1 | 18.5 | 105.5 | 39.5 | 66.0 | 31.7 | |

* Mean of 11 months.

† Mean of 10 months.

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at 199 stations in India, Burma, etc., in the year 1894—contd.

| WIND DIRECTION. | | | | | | | | | WIND VELOCITY. | | | HYGROMETRY, S.A.M. | | RAINFALL. | | | | | | Heaviest rainfall during year. | STATION. | METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE OR DISTRICT. | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|----------------------------------|---------|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|------------|-------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|----------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Number of winds from | | | | | | | | | Mean velocity in miles per hour. | Normal. | Percentage variation. | Mean humidity of year. | Mean vapour tension of year. | Mean cloud amount of year. | Number of rainy days during year. | Normal number of rainy days during year. | Variation. | Rainfall of year. | Normal rainfall of year. | | | | Variation from normal of year. | | | | | | | |
| Calm. | N. | N.E. | E. | S.E. | S. | S.W. | W. | N.W. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 71 | 44 | 22 | 29 | 34 | 54 | 55 | 21 | 35 | 2.9 | 3.3 | -12 | 78 | .714 | 4.8 | 87 | 78.00 | +9.00 | 50.61 | 56.90 | -6.29 | 3.04 | Burdwan, | NORTH BENGAL. | | | | | | | |
| 31 | 28 | 10 | 50 | 63 | 41 | 22 | 43 | 77 | 4.6 | P | ? | 74 | .660 | 3.1 | 91 | 79.41 | +11.59 | 61.77 | 57.23 | +4.54 | 3.28 | Naya Dumka. | | | | | | | | |
| 56 | 15 | 11 | 60 | 33 | 64 | 53 | 35 | 38 | 3.0 | 3.5 | -14 | 85 | .753 | 5.1 | 80 | 77.93 | +2.07 | 55.63 | 56.31 | -0.68 | 5.68 | Berhampore. | | | | | | | | |
| 102 | 46 | 21 | 19 | 58 | 34 | 58 | 21 | 6 | 4.8 | P | P | 84 | .785 | 3.4 | 87 | 74.56 | +12.44 | 52.96 | 58.19 | -5.23 | 4.91 | Rampur Boalia. | | | | | | | | |
| 18 | 6 | 16 | 4 | 90 | 24 | 73 | 7 | 91 | 3.0 | P | P | 81 | .712 | 3.3 | 66 | 53.25 | +12.75 | 50.46 | 44.07 | +6.39 | 6.84 | Malda† | | | | | | | | |
| 87 | 26 | 23 | 69 | 85 | 4 | 17 | 20 | 9 | P | P | P | 84 | .735 | 3.5 | 87 | 81.63 | +5.37 | 74.69 | 65.78 | +8.62 | 4.96 | Bogra, | | | | | | | | |
| 32 | 21 | 46 | 103 | 45 | 21 | 9 | 58 | 30 | 1.8 | P | P | 84 | .706 | 4.4 | 80 | 77.10 | +2.90 | 70.19 | 68.58 | +1.57 | 5.00 | Dinajpur | | | | | | | | |
| 41 | 23 | 59 | 117 | 58 | 26 | 17 | 18 | 2 | 2.4 | P | P | 87 | .728 | 4.3 | 80 | 78.70 | +1.30 | 65.58 | 82.81 | -17.23 | 4.56 | Rungpur. | | | | | | | | |
| 30 | 56 | 90 | 85 | 62 | 10 | 7 | 3 | 22 | 2.7 | P | P | 85 | .688 | 5.3 | 108 | 103.89 | +4.11 | 138.35 | 127.42 | +10.16 | 5.25 | Jalpaiguri. | | | | | | | | |
| 40 | 44 | 27 | 15 | 1 | 45 | 121 | 43 | 27 | 5.9 | P | P | 85 | .798 | 2.6 | 83 | 84.60 | -1.60 | 65.41 | 64.64 | +0.77 | 7.00 | Balasore | | ORISSA. | | | | | | |
| 3 | 84 | 15 | 4 | 7 | 51 | 116 | 47 | 38 | 9.9 | 9.1 | +9 | 85 | .832 | 5.7 | 86 | 75.00 | +11.00 | 65.11 | 68.10 | -2.99 | 4.59 | False Point. | CHOTA NAGPUR. | | | | | | | |
| 155 | 6 | 25 | 9 | 2 | 38 | 91 | 31 | 8 | 3.0 | 2.9 | +4 | 75 | .742 | 3.9 | 66 | 75.35 | -9.35 | 50.49 | 57.75 | -7.26 | 3.13 | Cuttack. | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 52 | 37 | 8 | 6 | 63 | 131 | 37 | 22 | 14.4 | P | P | 80 | .830 | 3.4 | 65 | P | P | 53.16 | P | P | 4.70 | Shortt's Islands. | | | | | | | | |
| 103 | 67 | 18 | 5 | 1 | 9 | 93 | 53 | 15 | 10.6 | P | P | 84 | .832 | 4.1 | 73 | 67.55 | +5.45 | 45.87 | 54.18 | -8.31 | 3.88 | Puri. | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 59.36 | 45.52 | +14.00 | V.—Gangetic Plain and Chota-Nagpur. | | | | | | |
| 40 | 30 | 10 | 28 | 32 | 56 | 55 | 58 | 56 | 8.1 | 6.8 | +19 | 69 | .546 | 4.9 | 91 | 75.64 | +15.36 | 67.00 | 52.75 | +14.25 | 3.82 | Hazaribagh | BEHAR, SOUTH. | | | | | | | |
| 117 | 18 | 10 | 15 | 14 | 27 | 76 | 41 | 47 | 6.1 | ? | ? | 71 | .565 | 4.0 | 97 | 82.69 | +14.31 | 69.34 | 55.61 | +13.73 | 3.96 | Ranchi. | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 41 | 22 | 39 | 23 | 19 | 85 | 56 | 79 | 4.1 | ? | ? | 75 | .640 | 4.3 | 82 | ? | ? | 55.96 | ? | ? | 4.85 | Daltonganj | | | | | | | | |
| 35 | 15 | 12 | 9 | 9 | 24 | 134 | 97 | 29 | 2.0 | ? | ? | 73 | .658 | 4.9 | 74 | 77.21 | -3.21 | 49.47 | 54.42 | -4.95 | 2.70 | Chaibassa† | BEHAR, NORTH. | | | | | | | |
| ... | 9 | 12 | 102 | 34 | 71 | 39 | 78 | 20 | 6.2 | 2.5 | +148 | 75 | .680 | 4.0 | 77 | 56.18 | +20.82 | 63.47 | 47.22 | +16.25 | 4.59 | Gaya | | | | | | | | |
| 9 | 1 | 12 | 58 | 41 | 49 | 118 | 55 | 21 | 8.1 | ? | ? | 71 | .674 | 3.4 | 65 | 54.74 | +10.26 | 68.76 | 43.11 | +25.65 | 4.22 | Dehri | | | | | | | | |
| 48 | ... | 22 | 112 | 25 | 17 | 44 | 85 | 12 | 4.6 | 3.0 | +53 | 75 | .635 | 4.2 | 66 | 55.72 | +10.28 | 62.13 | 46.25 | +15.88 | 6.23 | Patna | N.-W. PROVINCES (EASTERN DISTRICTS). | | | | | | | |
| 3 | 36 | 54 | 37 | 45 | 21 | 45 | 76 | 48 | 3.0 | ? | ? | 78 | .689 | 3.2 | 68 | 55.69 | +12.31 | 53.94 | 41.94 | +12.00 | 4.54 | Arrah | | | | | | | | |
| 12 | 9 | 31 | 96 | 11 | 27 | 55 | 97 | 27 | 4.4 | ? | ? | 73 | .646 | 3.7 | 69 | 53.95 | +15.05 | 67.79 | 39.82 | +27.97 | 6.14 | Buxar | | | | | | | | |
| 54 | 14 | 59 | 113 | 27 | 6 | 30 | 40 | 22 | 4.5 | 2.4 | +68 | 86 | .708 | 2.8 | 79 | 70.37 | +8.63 | 63.01 | 66.40 | -3.39 | 4.05 | Purnea | N.-W. PROVINCES (EAST SUBMONTANE). | | | | | | | |
| 130 | 5 | 18 | 44 | 71 | 21 | 36 | 29 | 11 | 2.7 | ? | ? | 77 | .695 | 4.3 | 64 | 60.55 | +3.45 | 52.40 | 44.84 | +7.56 | 5.45 | Bhagalpore | | | | | | | | |
| 43 | 8 | 17 | 103 | 86 | 11 | 33 | 44 | 20 | 4.4 | 3.8 | +16 | 82 | .695 | 3.5 | 64 | 60.17 | +3.83 | 52.94 | 51.51 | +1.43 | 6.04 | Darbhanga | | | | | | | | |
| 61 | ... | 19 | 101 | 79 | ... | 31 | 54 | 19 | 4.4 | ? | ? | 86 | .725 | 3.3 | 57 | 56.41 | +0.59 | 41.38 | 48.26 | -6.88 | 3.01 | Muzaffarpore | ODDH, SOUTH. | | | | | | | |
| 54 | ... | 84 | 100 | 24 | 2 | 37 | 48 | 16 | 5.6 | ? | ? | 82 | .697 | 3.4 | 71 | 53.13 | +17.87 | 46.91 | 47.37 | -0.46 | 2.64 | Motihari | | | | | | | | |
| 46 | 8 | 17 | 83 | 50 | 11 | 56 | 72 | 22 | 4.9* | ? | ? | 79 | .698 | 4.5 | 67 | 51.35 | +15.65 | 58.57 | 42.28 | +16.29 | 2.93 | Chapra | | | | | | | | |
| 136 | 4 | 36 | 44 | 14 | 19 | 71 | 37 | 4 | 3.7 | 3.9 | -5 | 80 | .684 | 4.1 | 78 | 50.54 | +27.46 | 62.62 | 39.43 | +23.19 | 3.90 | Benares | ODDH, NORTH. | | | | | | | |
| 49 | 21 | 38 | 53 | 22 | 16 | 38 | 71 | 57 | 4.9 | 2.8 | +75 | 73 | .639 | 4.6 | 72 | 48.47 | +23.53 | 76.42 | 39.44 | +36.98 | 6.87 | Allahabad | | | | | | | | |
| 17 | 38 | 25 | 71 | 28 | 46 | 18 | 98 | 24 | 2.2* | 2.5 | -12 | 76 | .656 | 3.2 | 74 | 52.29 | +21.71 | 61.08 | 51.35 | +9.73 | 8.61 | Gorakhpur | | | | | | | | |
| 175 | 11 | 8 | 80 | 7 | 9 | 10 | 33 | 15 | ... | 3.1 | ? | 73 | .613 | 4.3 | 69 | 46.83 | +22.17 | 61.86 | 38.80 | +23.06 | 5.16 | Lucknow§ | N.-W. PROVINCES (CENTRAL). | | | | | | | |
| 43 | 9 | 34 | 42 | 93 | 4 | 37 | 19 | 84 | 3.8 | ? | ? | 79 | .664 | 2.7 | 64 | ? | ? | 65.69 | 40.94 | +24.75 | 7.35 | Bahraich | | | | | | | | |
| 86 | 21 | 23 | 37 | 32 | 15 | 39 | 70 | 42 | 3.7 | ? | ? | 73 | .630 | 3.2 | 72 | 41.4 | +30.6 | 63.14 | 31.09 | +32.05 | 5.36 | Cawnpore | | | | | | | | |
| 183 | 15 | 12 | 26 | 19 | 8 | 15 | 35 | 52 | 1.2 | ? | ? | 73 | .601 | 4.2 | 49 | ? | ? | 42.06 | 33.09 | +8.97 | 4.02 | Mainpuri | VI.—Upper Sub-Himalayas. | | | | | | | |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 52.82 | 39.96 | +12.86 | ... | | | | | | | | | |
| 178 | 9 | 10 | 7 | 92 | 3 | 1 | 12 | 53 | 2.0 | 3.5 | -43 | 74 | .584 | 3.7 | 59 | 47.17 | +11.83 | 68.50 | 49.61 | +18.89 | 5.11 | Bareilly | | N.-W. PROVINCES (SUBMONTANE). | | | | | | |
| 313 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 14 | 11 | 4 | 8 | 3 | 1.4 | 1.8 | -22 | 75 | .507 | 5.0 | 110 | 79.59 | +30.41 | 122.65 | 87.98 | +34.67 | 7.54 | Dehra Dun.¶ | | | | | | | | |

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‡ 30 Winds in December.

§ 21 Winds in October and 23 winds in November.

¶ 26 Winds in April.

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| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE OR DISTRICT. | STATION. | Elevation of Bar Cistern above sea level in feet. | PRESSURE 8 A.M., IN INCHES. | | | | | | | | TEMPERATURE OF AIR. | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|------------------|---|--|------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--|-----------------------------|------------------------------|------|
| | | | Mean actual pressure (reduced to 32°). | Variation from normal. | Mean pressure reduced to sea level and to constant gravity 45° Lat. | Highest pressure recorded during year. | Lowest pressure recorded during year. | Absolute range during year. | Mean monthly range of pressure. | Mean of 8 A.M. of year. | Mean maximum of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Mean minimum of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Mean daily temperature of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Mean daily range of temperature. | Highest temperature observed during year. | Lowest temperature observed during year. | Absolute range during year. | Mean monthly absolute range. | |
| PUNJAB, CENTRAL. | Roorkee . . . | 887 | 28.911 | -.015 | 29.786 | 29.301 | 28.500 | .801 | .266 | 69.2 | 85.3 | -1.9 | 63.8 | +1.3 | 74.6 | -.03 | 21.5 | 112.7 | 36.9 | 75.8 | 37.7 | |
| | Meerut . . . | 737 | 29.061 | -.013 | 29.781 | 29.451 | 28.663 | .788 | .262 | 70.3 | 86.1 | -1.6 | 64.3 | +0.8 | 75.2 | -.04 | 21.9 | 111.9 | 40.1 | 71.8 | 36.7 | |
| | Delhi . . . | 718 | 29.089 | -.007 | 29.784 | 29.477 | 28.713 | .764 | .267 | 72.3 | 86.5 | -2.7 | 67.5 | +0.4 | 77.0 | -1.2 | 19.0 | 113.5 | 44.1 | 69.4 | 33.4 | |
| | Lahore . . . | 702 | 29.090 | -.015 | 29.778 | 29.514 | 28.615 | .899 | .313 | 70.3 | 86.6 | -2.1 | 63.6 | +2.3 | 75.1 | +0.1 | 23.0 | 115.3 | 38.2 | 77.1 | 39.1 | |
| PUNJAB, SUBMONTANE. | Umballa . . . | ... | 28.900 | ? | 29.791 | 29.289 | 28.524 | .765 | .285 | 68.7 | 86.8 | ? | 63.3 | ? | 75.0 | ? | 23.5 | 115.8 | 38.0 | 77.8 | 40.4 | |
| | Ludhiana . . . | 812 | 28.985 | -.012 | 29.784 | 29.379 | 28.577 | .802 | .290 | 70.5 | 85.6 | -3.1 | 64.2 | +1.0 | 74.9 | -1.0 | 21.4 | 115.8 | 38.9 | 76.9 | 37.3 | |
| PUNJAB, NORTH. | Sialkot . . . | 829 | 28.965 | -.005 | 29.785 | 29.360 | 28.482 | .878 | .303 | 70.1 | 85.7 | -1.8 | 63.1 | +1.0 | 74.5 | -.04 | 22.6 | 114.9 | 36.3 | 78.6 | 38.8 | |
| | Rawalpindi . . . | 1,649 | 28.156 | -.013 | 29.787 | 28.553 | 27.717 | .836 | .310 | 63.9 | 81.2 | -2.9 | 57.2 | 0 | 69.2 | -1.4 | 24.1 | 109.5 | 32.4 | 77.1 | 40.2 | |
| VII.—Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. | | | ... | ... | -.008 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 90.1 | -0.7 | 65.3 | +0.3 | 77.8 | -0.2 | 25.0 | ... | ... | 79.0 | 41.7 | |
| PUNJAB, WEST. | Peshawar . . . | 1,110 | 28.728 | -.007 | 29.799 | 29.163 | 28.266 | .897 | .334 | 67.4 | 84.6 | -1.0 | 59.9 | +1.1 | 72.3 | +0.1 | 24.7 | 114.0 | 30.4 | 83.6 | 42.4 | |
| | Mardan . . . | ? | Observations not recorded. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 66.9 | 87.9 | ? | 58.8 | ? | 73.4 | ? | 29.1 | 115.4 | 29.0 | 86.4 | 44.1 | |
| | Khushab . . . | 612 | 29.176 | ? | 29.770 | 29.638 | 28.741 | .897 | .317 | 71.5 | 88.4 | ? | 63.9 | ? | 76.2 | ? | 24.4 | 117.1 | 35.1 | 82.0 | 42.3 | |
| | Montgomery . . . | 558 | 29.238 | ? | 29.775 | 29.675 | 28.811 | .864 | .314 | 73.8 | 91.3 | ? | 64.0 | ? | 77.7 | ? | 27.3 | 118.9 | 35.5 | 83.4 | 45.4 | |
| | D. I. Khan . . . | 573 | 29.221 | ? | 29.783 | 29.680 | 28.759 | .921 | .332 | 68.1 | 89.1 | -1.3 | 62.2 | 0 | 75.6 | -0.7 | 26.9 | 117.1 | 33.0 | 84.1 | 44.4 | |
| | Mooltan . . . | 420 | 29.386 | -.015 | 29.786 | 29.849 | 28.935 | .914 | .317 | 72.2 | 91.0 | -0.2 | 66.1 | +1.5 | 78.5 | +0.7 | 24.9 | 115.5 | 37.6 | 77.9 | 40.8 | |
| | Sirsa . . . | 632 | 29.136 | -.014 | 29.778 | 29.550 | 28.739 | .811 | .285 | 71.4 | 91.3 | 0 | 64.8 | +1.4 | 78.1 | +0.7 | 26.4 | 117.4 | 36.2 | 81.2 | 42.8 | |
| | Jacobabad . . . | 186 | 29.625 | -.004 | 29.776 | 30.110 | 29.153 | .967 | .306 | 73.8 | 93.9 | -0.3 | 66.4 | +0.8 | 80.2 | +0.3 | 27.5 | 121.0 | 32.5 | 88.5 | 48.4 | |
| SIND AND Cutch. | Hyderabad* . . . | 117 | 29.669 | +0.002 | 29.741 | 30.120 | 29.267 | .863 | .274 | 75.8 | 93.5 | -1.7 | 70.7 | -0.1 | 82.1 | -0.9 | 22.8 | 113.2 | 42.5 | 70.7 | 40.0 | |
| | Kurrachee . . . | 49 | 29.810 | -.007 | 29.811 | 30.230 | 29.338 | .892 | .273 | 73.7 | 86.2 | -0.6 | 68.9 | -0.7 | 77.6 | -0.7 | 17.3 | 107.7 | 43.1 | 64.6 | 30.8 | |
| | Bhuj . . . | 395 | 29.459 | -.011 | 29.813 | 29.770 | 28.992 | .878 | .240 | 75.2 | 90.1 | -0.9 | 68.1 | -0.5 | 79.1 | -0.7 | 22.0 | 112.1 | 44.0 | 68.1 | 36.4 | |
| | Rajputana, West. | Bikaner . . . | 753 | 29.057 | ? | 29.782 | 29.473 | 28.611 | .862 | .288 | 74.1 | 91.3 | -0.2 | 70.3† | -1.2† | 81.7† | -0.6 | 22.9 | 114.4 | 42.6 | 71.8 | 38.6 |
| | Pachpadra . . . | 380 | 29.445 | ? | 29.789 | 29.879 | 29.049 | .830 | .373 | 72.9 | 93.2 | ? | 64.3 | ? | 78.7 | ? | 28.9 | 119.5 | 35.0 | 84.5 | 45.9 | |
| VIII.—East Rajputana, Central India and Gujarat. | | | ... | ... | -.007 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 89.1 | -1.0 | 66.9 | +0.7 | 78.0 | -0.2 | 22.1 | ... | ... | 66.8 | 35.9 | |
| RAJPUTANA, EAST. | Jeypore . . . | 1,431 | 28.406 | -.012 | 29.816 | 28.762 | 27.997 | .765 | .256 | 72.4 | 89.3 | -0.7 | 65.3 | +0.7 | 77.3 | 0 | 24.5 | 112.3 | 40.2 | 72.1 | 39.4 | |
| | Sambhar . . . | 1,254 | 28.569 | -.010 | 29.801 | 28.925 | 28.141 | .784 | .258 | 71.7 | 88.3 | -0.4 | 64.3 | -0.2 | 76.3 | -0.3 | 24.0 | 109.0 | 40.0 | 69.0 | 39.1 | |
| | Ajmere . . . | 1,611 | 28.233 | -.012 | 29.832 | 28.556 | 27.774 | .782 | .255 | 70.9 | 87.1 | -1.4 | 65.2 | +1.8 | 76.2 | +0.2 | 21.9 | 107.9 | 39.4 | 68.5 | 36.8 | |
| | Deesa . . . | 466 | 29.392 | -.008 | 29.823 | 29.710 | 28.883 | .827 | .235 | 74.4 | 92.7 | -0.5 | 66.9 | +0.1 | 79.8 | -0.2 | 25.8 | 113.0 | 40.5 | 72.5 | 40.1 | |
| KATHIAWAR . . | Rajkot . . . | 429 | 29.444 | -.003 | 29.832 | 29.733 | 29.000 | .733 | .220 | 75.4 | 91.5 | -1.5 | 65.9 | 0 | 78.7 | -0.8 | 25.6 | 112.4 | 43.0 | 69.4 | 39.7 | |
| | Veraval . . . | ? | 29.866 | ? | 29.826 | 30.121 | 29.494 | .627 | .205 | 75.9 | 84.7 | ? | 71.1 | ? | 77.9 | ? | 13.6 | 101.6 | 52.3 | 49.3 | 26.3 | |
| CENTRAL INDIA . | Nowgong . . . | 757 | 29.068 | -.018 | 29.794 | 29.436 | 28.668 | .768 | .249 | 73.3 | 88.0 | -1.4 | 65.1† | +1.4† | 76.1† | -0.1† | 22.0† | 113.6 | 39.6 | 74.0 | 35.4 | |
| | Indore . . . | 1,827 | 28.038 | -.004 | 29.827 | 28.327 | 27.551 | .776 | .215 | 71.9 | 87.6† | -0.7 | 64.3 | +0.8 | 76.5† | -0.1† | 22.3† | 107.1 | 42.6 | 64.5 | 35.6 | |
| | Neemuch . . . | 1,630 | 28.228 | +0.006 | 29.833 | 28.555 | 27.767 | .788 | .238 | 72.5 | 87.6 | -0.0 | 64.5 | +0.3 | 76.1 | -0.3 | 23.1 | 108.1 | 41.0 | 67.1 | 36.6 | |
| GUJARAT . . . | Surat . . . | 36 | 29.851 | -.007† | 29.830 | 30.130 | 29.445 | .685 | .201 | 75.9 | 90.6 | -0.7 | 69.7 | +0.8 | 80.2 | +0.1 | 20.9 | 108.6 | 52.1 | 56.5 | 32.7 | |
| | Ahmedabad . . . | 176 | 29.709 | ? | 29.837 | 30.018 | 29.235 | .783 | .225 | 76.4 | 92.3 | ? | 70.6 | ? | 81.5 | ? | 21.7 | 113.3 | 50.2 | 63.1 | 34.6 | |
| N.-W. P., WEST. | Agra . . . | 555 | 29.264 | ? | 29.790 | 29.671 | 28.883 | .788 | .258 | 73.5 | 89.1 | -1.4 | 67.5 | +0.2 | 78.3 | -0.6 | 21.6 | 116.0 | 42.4 | 73.6 | 36.4 | |
| | Jhansi . . . | 840 | 28.981 | -.003† | 29.805 | 29.342 | 28.580 | .762 | .260 | 75.8 | 86 | -1.1 | 69.6 | +1.4 | 79.6 | +0.1 | 20.0 | 114.2 | 45.9 | 68.3 | 34.5 | |
| IX.—Deccan. | | | ... | ... | -.009 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 89.8 | -0.4 | 68.0 | +1.0 | 78.9 | +0.3 | 21.8 | ... | ... | 60.7 | 33.8 | |
| BOMBAY DECCAN . | Belgaum . . . | 2,524 | 27.382 | 0 | 29.843 | 27.702 | 27.146 | .556 | .168 | 70.5 | 83.4 | -0.9 | 64.0 | +0.1 | 73.7 | -0.4 | 19.4 | 97.3 | 53.4 | 43.9 | 29.0 | |
| | Sholapur . . . | 1,590 | 28.302 | -.004 | 29.844 | 28.532 | 27.996 | .536 | .182 | 75.9 | 92.1 | -0.5 | 68.3 | +0.8 | 80.2 | +0.2 | 23.8 | 108.7 | 52.1 | 58.6 | 34.1 | |
| | Poona . . . | 1,840 | 28.056 | -.008 | 29.856 | 28.286 | 27.737 | .549 | .185 | 72.3 | 89.6 | +0.9 | 65.0 | 0 | 77.3 | +0.5 | 24.6 | 107.5 | 50.0 | 57.5 | 35.0 | |
| | Bijapur . . . | 1,946 | 27.950 | ? | 29.843 | 28.163 | 27.693 | .470 | .177 | 73.9 | 89.5 | ? | 66.8 | ? | 78.2 | ? | 22.7 | 105.3 | 48.1 | 57.2 | 34.1 | |

* Mean of 10 months.

† Mean of 11 months.

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at 199 stations in India, Burma, etc., in the year 1894—contd.

| WIND DIRECTION. | | | | | | | | | WIND VELOCITY. | | | HYGROMETRY 8 A.M. | | Mean cloud amount of year. | RAINFALL. | | | | | | | STATION. | METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE OR DISTRICT. | | | |
|-----------------|----------------------|------|-----|--------------|-----|------|-----|------|----------------------------------|---------|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|------------|-------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|---|--|--|-----------------|
| Calm. | Number of winds from | | | | | | | | Mean velocity in miles per hour. | Normal. | Percentage variation. | Mean humidity of year. | Mean vapour tension of year. | | Number of rainy days during year. | Normal number of rainy days during year. | Variation. | Rainfall of year. | Normal rainfall of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Heaviest rainfall during year. | | | | | |
| | N. | N.E. | E. | S.E. | S. | S.W. | W. | N.W. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 214 | 8 | 4 | 21 | 57 | 16 | 5 | 5 | 35 | 2.9 | 2.5 | +16 | 76 | .561 | 4.0 | 73 | 46.57 | +26.43 | 40.91 | 43.82 | +17.09 | 3.21 | Roorkee. | PUNJAB, CENTRAL. | | | |
| 174 | 2 | 7 | 47 | 17 | 1 | 20 | 79 | 18 | 1.7 | 2.2 | -23 | 71 | .542 | 3.8 | 59 | 39.18 | +19.82 | 40.53 | 32.89 | +7.64 | 4.62 | Meerut. | | | | |
| 147 | 5 | 6 | 32 | 30 | 2 | 27 | 107 | 9 | 2.2 | 3.6 | -39 | 64 | .520 | 3.7 | 65 | 38.74 | +31.26 | 41.11 | 30.03 | +11.08 | 3.12 | Delhi . . . | | | | |
| 124 | 5 | 16 | 45 | 58 | 16 | 8 | 41 | 22 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 0 | 69 | .532 | 2.9 | 34 | 28.26 | +5.74 | 23.19 | 21.85 | +1.24 | 4.94 | Lahore. | | | | |
| 184 | ... | 4 | 5 | 85 | ... | 1 | 1 | 85 | 1.8 | ? | ? | 85 | .533 | 3.6 | 67 | ? | ? | 48.14 | 33.13 | +15.01 | 3.08 | Umballa . . . | | | | |
| 180 | 10 | 19 | 3 | 68 | 19 | 15 | 14 | 37 | 1.8 | 1.5 | +20 | 73 | .563 | 4.4 | 55 | 37.00 | +18.00 | 40.30 | 30.90 | +9.40 | 4.28 | Ludhiana. | PUNJAB, SUBMONTANE. | | | |
| 253 | 21 | 4 | 65 | 5 | ... | 2 | 11 | 4 | 1.5 | 1.8 | -17 | 69 | .524 | 2.9 | 53 | 38.36 | +14.64 | 40.64 | 34.12 | +6.52 | 2.80 | Stalkot . . . | | | | |
| 226 | 12 | 25 | 22 | 25 | 6 | 2 | 7 | 40 | 1.2 | 2.0 | -40 | 77 | .502 | 3.6 | 63 | 46.81 | +16.19 | 42.18 | 35.17 | +7.01 | 2.81 | Rawalpindi. | VII.—Indus Valley and North-West Rajputana. | | | |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 15.56 | 10.16 | +4.64 | ... | ... | | | | |
| 160 | 38 | 11 | 7 | 16 | 48 | 37 | 15 | 33 | 3.5 | 3.4 | +3 | 65 | .473 | 3.3 | 25 | 21.56 | +3.44 | 10.44 | 13.54 | -3.10 | 1.13 | Peshawar . . . | | | | |
| P | P | P | | Not recorded | | | | | P | ? | P | P | P | P | 35 | ? | ? | 24.67 | ? | ? | 1.96 | Mardan. | | | | |
| 118 | 5 | 188 | 5 | 20 | 1 | 14 | 4 | 10 | 4.4 | ? | P | 58 | .471 | 2.4 | 32 | 16.40 | +15.60 | 20.67 | 10.92 | +9.75 | 2.90 | Khushab. | | | | |
| 106 | 21 | 25 | 28 | 46 | 40 | 61 | 27 | 11 | 5.3 | ? | P | 60 | .519 | 2.5 | 22 | 15.70 | +6.30 | 8.81 | 10.14 | -1.33 | 1.73 | Montgomery. | | | | |
| 217 | 13 | 45 | 35 | 3 | 7 | 6 | 9 | 30 | 2.0 | 1.8 | +11 | 69 | .555 | 2.2 | 17 | 14.73 | +2.27 | 11.57 | 8.42 | +3.15 | 2.84 | D. I. Khan. | | | | |
| 125 | 8 | 76 | 8 | 63 | 2 | 62 | ... | 21 | 1.4 | 2.5 | -44 | 65 | .548 | 2.1 | 15 | 11.72 | +3.28 | 7.85 | 7.56 | +0.29 | 1.33 | Mooltan. | | | | |
| 121 | 20 | 9 | 34 | 31 | 13 | 38 | 80 | 19 | 5.0 | 3.6 | +39 | 63 | .496 | 3.3 | 38 | 23.39 | +14.61 | 20.99 | 15.55 | +5.44 | 3.90 | Sirsa. | | | | |
| 207 | 12 | 9 | 44 | 54 | 29 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 3.6 | 3.4 | +6 | 57 | .523 | 2.2 | 6 | 6.63 | -0.63 | 1.59 | 4.08 | -2.49 | 0.32 | Jacobabad . . . | | | | |
| 43 | 44 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 50 | 107 | 32 | 14 | 21.9 | 10.9 | +101 | 63 | .589 | 2.3 | 16 | 9.94 | +6.06 | 10.83 | 7.00 | +3.83 | 5.30 | Hyderabad. | | | | |
| 2 | 38 | 101 | 19 | 1 | ... | 89 | 100 | 14 | 11.2 | 13.2 | -15 | 77 | .686 | 4.3 | 16 | 9.73 | +6.27 | 22.71 | 7.92 | +14.79 | 4.78 | Kurrachee. | | | | |
| 64 | 34 | 7 | 7 | 5 | 8 | 74 | 90 | 61 | 12.6 | 10.2 | +23 | 65 | .586 | 3.8 | 20 | ? | ? | 27.62 | 14.61 | +13.01 | 4.70 | Bhuj. | | | | |
| 25 | 32 | 28 | 14 | 14 | 58 | 113 | 27 | 54 | 5.8 | 4.8 | +21 | 57 | .514 | 3.1 | 21 | ? | ? | 12.20 | 11.95 | +0.25 | 4.36 | Bickaneer . . . | | | | |
| 184 | 16 | 18 | 3 | 41 | 47 | 49 | 3 | 22 | 6.1 | 5.8 | +5 | 65 | .572 | 5.7* | 33 | ? | ? | 22.38 | 10.28 | +12.10 | 5.62 | Pachpadra. | | | | |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 39.93 | 32.36 | +7.57 | ... | ... | | | | |
| 86 | 19 | 30 | 13 | 11 | 15 | 68 | 80 | 43 | 3.5 | 5.1 | -31 | 63 | .523 | 3.9 | 50 | 38.70 | +11.30 | 29.93 | 28.76 | +1.17 | 2.05 | Jeypore . . . | | | | |
| 55 | 54 | 32 | 26 | 12 | 12 | 6 | 121 | 46 | 7.1 | 6.7 | +6 | 61 | .500 | 3.3 | 39 | 32.56 | +6.44 | 26.82 | 22.91 | +3.71 | 2.87 | Sambhar. | | | | |
| 113 | 8 | 82 | 6 | 17 | 9 | 35 | 128 | 17 | 5.6 | 4.3 | +30 | 67 | .524 | 2.9 | 39 | 32.99 | +6.01 | 26.99 | 22.18 | +4.81 | 2.60 | Ajmere. | | | | |
| 1 | 32 | 56 | 25 | 24 | 18 | 80 | 95 | 34 | 9.7 | 10.3 | -6 | 61 | .547 | 3.8 | 36 | 28.81 | +7.19 | 22.61 | 26.73 | -4.12 | 2.56 | Deesa. | | | | |
| 32 | 35 | 48 | 35 | 2 | 3 | 42 | 118 | 50 | 8.7 | 9.2 | -5 | 67 | .619 | 3.2 | 46 | 33.94 | +12.06 | 49.16 | 28.67 | +20.49 | 7.70 | Rajkot . . . | | | | |
| 70 | 70 | 46 | 3 | 6 | 5 | 35 | 99 | 31 | 6.2 | ? | ? | 74 | .694 | 4.5 | 28 | ? | ? | 28.96 | ? | ? | 4.86 | Veraval. | | | | |
| 71 | 28 | 17 | 22 | 5 | 13 | 71 | 116 | 22 | 3.4 | 2.5 | +36 | 70 | .566 | 4.3 | 62 | 49.75 | +12.25 | 63.58 | 44.43 | +19.15 | 9.29 | Nowgong . . . | | | | |
| 57 | 68 | 20 | 2 | 8 | 40 | 47 | 82 | 41 | 4.1 | 4.2 | -2 | 73 | .588 | 3.8 | 55 | 48.00 | +7.00 | 33.17 | 34.91 | -1.74 | 3.60 | Indore. | | | | |
| 35 | 11 | 57 | 59 | 14 | 8 | 54 | 94 | 33 | 8.5 | 10.1 | -16 | 61 | .508 | 3.4 | 36 | 39.18 | -3.18 | 27.38 | 32.26 | -4.88 | 4.86 | Neemuch. | | | | |
| 10 | 38 | 32 | 17 | 7 | 12 | 81 | 99 | 69 | ? | 9.0 | ? | 76 | .704 | 3.4 | 60 | 49.36 | +10.64 | 65.08 | 46.34 | +18.74 | 10.12 | Surat . . . | | | | |
| 42 | 41 | 60 | 35 | 16 | 7 | 52 | 43 | 47 | 4.9 | ? | ? | 65 | .620 | 4.7 | 45 | ? | ? | 50.92 | ? | ? | 6.51 | Ahmedabad. | | | | |
| 23 | ... | 36 | 1 | 70 | ... | 97 | ... | 138 | 4.4 | 4.2 | +5 | 65 | .549 | 3.6 | 53 | 38.91 | +14.09 | 35.76 | 29.12 | +6.64 | 5.00 | Agra. | | | | |
| 67 | 31 | 27 | 3 | 17 | 22 | 104 | 26 | 68 | 2.9 | 3.4 | -15 | 60 | .539 | 3.0 | 67 | 49.07 | +17.93 | 53.89 | 39.63 | +19.26 | 4.04 | Jhansi. | | | | |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ? | 43.19 | 43.88 | +2.54 | ... | ... | | | | |
| 62 | 14 | 12 | 57 | 28 | 5 | 33 | 111 | 43 | ? | 15.7 | ? | 72 | .548 | 4.9 | 78 | 63.08 | -5.08 | 49.66 | 48.74 | +0.92 | 3.00 | Belgaum . . . | | | | |
| 9 | 24 | 18 | 40 | 61 | 9 | 51 | 58 | 84 | 12.5 | 8.9 | +40 | 59 | .525 | 4.4 | 36 | 54.01 | -15.01 | 20.86 | 33.90 | -13.04 | 3.11 | Sholapur. | | | | |
| 99 | 3 | 6 | 30 | 16 | 4 | 52 | 108 | 47 | 9.0 | 10.0 | -10 | 66 | .581 | 4.1 | 49 | 49.36 | -0.36 | 26.73 | 28.74 | -2.01 | 2.10 | Poona. | | | | |
| 7 | 5 | 21 | 39 | 51 | 7 | 61 | 109 | 65 | 7.2 | ? | ? | 71 | .586 | 4.8 | 87 | 43.52 | -6.52 | 25.08 | ? | ? | 2.47 | Bijapur. | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | IX.—Deccan. | | | BOMBAY, DECCAN. |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

* Mean of 11 months.

Table

Abstract of observations taken at 8 A. M.

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE OR DISTRICT. | STATION. | Elevation of Bar Cistern above sea level in feet. | PRESSURE 8 A.M. IN INCHES. | | | | | | | TEMPERATURE OF AIR. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|---|--|------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--|-----------------------------|------------------------------|--|
| | | | Mean actual pressure (reduced to 32°). | Variation from normal. | Mean pressure reduced to sea level and to constant gravity 45° Lat. | Highest pressure recorded during year. | Lowest pressure recorded during year. | Absolute range during year. | Mean monthly range of pressure. | Mean of 8 A.M. of year. | Mean maximum of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Mean minimum of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Mean daily temperature of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Mean daily range of temperature. | Highest temperature observed during year. | Lowest temperature observed during year. | Absolute range during year. | Mean monthly absolute range. | |
| KHANDESH . . . | Malegaon . . . | 1,430 | 28.444 | -.010 | 29.835 | 28.712 | 28.056 | .656 | .196 | 75.1 | 91.1 | +0.1 | 66.0 | +1.2 | 78.6 | +0.6 | 25.2 | 109.3 | 47.5 | 61.8 | 37.7 | |
| | Ahmednagar . . . | 2,152 | 27.744 | P | 29.847 | 27.984 | 27.410 | .574 | .188 | 72.6 | 88.1 | P | 63.5 | P | 75.8 | P | 24.5 | 105.2 | 43.9 | 61.3 | 37.4 | |
| BERAR . . . | Akola . . . | 930 | 28.926 | -.011 | 29.813 | 29.229 | 28.480 | .749 | .213 | 75.2 | 92.4 | +0.2 | 68.1 | +1.4 | 80.3 | +0.8 | 24.3 | 113.1 | 46.7 | 66.4 | 37.4 | |
| | Amraoti . . . | 1,216 | 28.633 | -.013† | 29.812 | 28.915 | 28.210 | .705 | .213 | 75.2 | 90.6 | -1.0 | 69.7 | +1.5 | 80.2 | +0.3 | 20.9 | 111.3 | 53.9 | 57.4 | 32.5 | |
| CENTRAL PROVINCES, WEST. | Khandwa . . . | 1,045 | 28.808 | -.011 | 29.823 | 29.106 | 28.329 | .777 | .218 | 73.5 | 90.8 | -0.4 | 67.9 | +1.5 | 79.3 | +0.6 | 22.9 | 111.7 | 44.1 | 67.6 | 36.9 | |
| | Hoshangabad . . . | 1,020 | 28.811† | P | 29.801† | 29.159 | 28.328 | .831 | .247† | 74.5† | 89.5† | -1.7† | 69.1† | +1.2† | 79.4† | -0.3† | 20.4† | 111.0 | 46.3 | 64.7 | 32.5† | |
| CENTRAL PROVINCES, CENTRAL. | Nagpur . . . | 1,025 | 28.817 | -.010 | 29.804 | 29.122 | 28.356 | .766 | .236 | 77.1 | 91.2 | -0.5 | 69.2 | +0.7 | 80.2 | +0.1 | 21.9 | 115.4 | 47.2 | 68.2 | 35.0 | |
| | Chanda . . . | 634 | 29.216 | -.010 | 29.804 | 29.519 | 28.794 | .725 | .225 | 75.7 | 92.4 | -0.2 | 69.4 | +0.9 | 80.9 | +0.4 | 23.1 | 115.4 | 47.1 | 68.3 | 37.0 | |
| CENTRAL PROVINCES, EAST. | Seoni . . . | 2,033 | 27.821 | -.003 | 29.808 | 28.113 | 27.355 | .758 | .240 | 72.5 | 86.2 | -1.3 | 65.1 | +0.4 | 75.7 | -0.5 | 21.1 | 108.2 | 44.0 | 64.2 | 33.4 | |
| | Jubbulpore . . . | 1,327 | 28.511 | -.009 | 29.810 | 28.832 | 28.046 | .786 | .249 | 72.8 | 87.6 | -0.5 | 65.5 | +1.2 | 76.6 | +0.4 | 22.1 | 110.5 | 40.9 | 69.6 | 36.0 | |
| CENTRAL PROVINCES, EAST. | Saugor . . . | 1,762 | 28.075 | -.005 | 29.806 | 28.393 | 27.631 | .762 | .235 | 72.2 | 87.2 | -0.5 | 66.9 | +1.4 | 77.1 | +0.5 | 20.4 | 109.4 | 44.0 | 65.4 | 34.2 | |
| | Raipur . . . | 970 | 28.868 | -.006 | 29.795 | 29.193 | 28.408 | .785 | .247 | 76.6 | 90.4 | +0.4 | 70.1 | +1.2 | 80.3 | +0.8 | 20.3 | 114.0 | 49.4 | 64.6 | 33.0 | |
| CENTRAL PROVINCES, EAST. | Sutna . . . | 1,040 | 28.773 | -.022 | 29.786 | 29.132 | 28.380 | .752 | .260 | 74.0 | 86.9 | -0.9 | 67.3 | +2.2 | 77.1 | +0.7 | 19.6 | 112.1 | 41.2 | 70.9 | 34.1 | |
| | Sambalpur . . . | 463 | 29.359 | -.010† | 29.775 | 29.726 | 28.823 | .903 | .259 | 77.3 | 91.0 | +0.1 | 70.9 | +1.0 | 81.0 | +0.6 | 20.0 | 116.5 | 46.7 | 69.8 | 32.2 | |
| HYDERABAD, NORTH. | Aurangabad . . . | P | 28.032 | P | P | 28.275 | 27.658 | .617 | .189 | 76.8 | 91.0 | P | 66.1 | P | 78.6 | P | 24.9 | 109.0 | 50.4 | 58.6 | 35.9 | |
| | Indur . . . | P | | | Observations not recorded. | | | | | 77.2 | 90.4 | P | 69.6 | P | 80.0 | P | 20.9 | 110.3 | 48.0 | 62.3 | 33.6 | |
| HYDERABAD, SOUTH. | Bidar . . . | P | 27.722 | P | P | 27.956 | 27.407 | .549 | .188 | 74.8 | 87.3 | P | 68.6 | P | 77.9 | P | 18.7 | 100.3 | 56.7 | 43.6 | 27.8 | |
| | Gulbarga . . . | 1,502 | 28.377 | P | 29.833 | 28.637 | 28.081 | .556 | .186 | 75.6 | 91.5 | P | 68.7 | P | 80.1 | P | 22.8 | 109.1 | 53.1 | 56.0 | 33.1 | |
| HYDERABAD, SOUTH. | Raichur . . . | 1,378 | 28.509 | P | 29.826† | 28.752 | 28.260 | .492 | .192 | 76.5 | 91.3 | P | 71.3 | P | 81.3 | P | 20.0 | 109.0 | 60.2 | 48.8 | 30.0 | |
| | Hyderabad (Dn.) . . . | 1,690 | 28.195 | -.005* | .839 | .446 | 27.905 | .541 | .195 | 74.5 | 89.4 | -0.7 | 69.1 | +1.1 | 79.3 | +0.2 | 20.3 | 107.4 | 51.8 | 55.6 | 31.0 | |
| HYDERABAD, SOUTH. | Secunderabad . . . | 1,787 | 28.114 | P | .857 | .362 | .827 | .535 | .192 | 73.6 | 90.3 | P | 68.6 | P | 79.4 | P | 21.7 | 107.8 | 52.1 | 55.7 | 33.1 | |
| | Khamamet . . . | 373 | 29.501 | P | .790† | 29.790 | 29.187 | .803 | .222 | 78.0 | 92.8 | P | 72.5 | P | 82.7 | P | 20.3 | 114.7 | 53.2 | 61.5 | 32.7 | |
| X.—West Coast. | | | ... | -.006 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 86.1 | +0.4 | 74.4 | +0.4 | 80.3 | +0.4 | 11.7 | ... | ... | 30.1 | 1.95 | |
| KONKAN . . . | Bombay . . . | 37 | 29.866 | -.005 | 29.843 | 30.093 | 29.528 | .565 | .184 | 78.2 | 85.7 | +0.1 | 75.0 | +0.3 | 80.4 | +0.3 | 10.7 | 93.0 | 64.0 | 29.0 | 18.2 | |
| | Ratnagiri . . . | 110 | 29.793 | +0.01† | 29.842 | 29.995 | 29.525 | .470 | .174 | 78.9 | 87.4 | 0 | 73.7 | +1.0 | 80.6 | +0.5 | 13.7 | 97.4 | 62.4 | 35.0 | 22.5 | |
| KONKAN . . . | Mormugao . . . | 60 | 29.855 | P | 29.850 | 30.048 | 29.618 | .430 | .168 | 78.1 | 86.3 | P | 74.8 | P | 80.6 | P | 11.5 | 94.0 | 62.3 | 31.7 | 19.9 | |
| | Goa . . . | 23 | 29.914 | +0.07 | 29.851 | 30.124 | .666 | .453 | .172 | 78.3 | 84.0 | P | 75.5 | P | 79.8 | P | 8.5 | 92.5 | 61.0 | 31.5 | 17.3 | |
| MALABAR . . . | Karwar . . . | 44 | 29.873 | -.002 | 29.849 | 30.062 | .677 | .385 | .161 | 76.1 | 86.6 | +0.6 | 73.1 | +0.6 | 79.9 | +0.6 | 13.4 | 98.3 | 62.1 | 36.2 | 21.5 | |
| | Cochin . . . | 10 | 29.920 | -.012 | 29.858 | 30.033 | .790 | .243 | .133 | 78.5 | 88.0 | +1.0 | 74.6 | +0.1 | 81.3 | +0.6 | 13.5 | 98.3 | 67.8 | 30.5 | 20.5 | |
| MALABAR . . . | Calicut . . . | 27 | 29.900 | -.017 | 29.857 | 30.043 | .762 | .281 | .140 | 78.3 | 86.4 | P | 73.8 | P | 80.1 | P | 12.6 | 92.8 | 65.1 | 27.7 | 19.7 | |
| | Mangalore . . . | 65 | 29.860 | -.012 | 29.858 | 30.004 | .711 | .293 | .141 | 70.2 | 87.1 | +0.5 | 78.9 | -0.1 | 80.5 | +0.2 | 13.2 | 92.9 | 65.5 | 27.4 | 21.4 | |
| MALABAR . . . | Trivandrum . . . | 198 | 29.730 | P | 29.860 | 29.851 | .596 | .255 | .132 | 77.8 | 83.6 | P | 75.3 | P | 79.5 | P | 8.3 | 90.0 | 68.0 | 22.0 | 14.3 | |
| XI.—South India. | | | ... | -.009 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 89.4 | +0.2 | 72.0 | +0.2 | 80.7 | +0.2 | 17.5 | ... | ... | 45.8 | 27.8 | |
| MADRAS, SOUTH | Pamban . . . | 37 | 29.871 | P | 29.835 | 30.036 | 29.690 | .346 | .144 | 81.5 | 87.0 | P | 78.0 | P | 82.5 | P | 9.0 | 93.8 | 69.2 | 24.6 | 17.5 | |
| | Tinnevely . . . | 168 | 29.749 | P | 29.846 | 29.925 | 29.564 | .361 | .150 | 81.8 | 94.6 | P | 76.8 | P | 85.7 | P | 17.7 | 105.0 | 66.4 | 38.6 | 27.2 | |
| MADRAS, SOUTH | Madura . . . | 447 | 29.456 | -.011 | 29.840 | 29.626 | 29.272 | .354 | .149 | 80.2 | 93.9 | -0.3 | 74.3 | +0.7 | 84.1 | +0.2 | 19.6 | 105.0 | 62.2 | 42.8 | 29.4 | |
| | Salem . . . | 940 | 28.994 | -.014 | 29.876 | 29.182 | 28.813 | .369 | .153 | 77.9 | 93.1 | +0.4 | 71.4 | +1.1 | 82.2 | +0.8 | 21.7 | 104.9 | 57.5 | 47.1 | 31.4 | |
| MADRAS, CENTRAL. | Coimbatore . . . | 1,348 | 28.564 | -.012 | 29.863 | 28.736 | 28.390 | .346 | .139 | 74.8 | 89.7 | -0.4 | 69.0 | -0.6 | 79.4 | -0.5 | 20.8 | 98.4 | 58.6 | 39.8 | 29.1 | |
| | Mercara . . . | 3,781 | 26.229 | -.001 | P | 26.367 | 26.095 | .272 | .143 | 65.2 | 75.3 | -1.1 | 61.8 | +0.7 | 68.6 | -0.2 | 13.5 | 88.0 | 51.2 | 36.8 | 21.6 | |
| COORG . . . | Chitaldroog . . . | 2,405 | 27.517 | P | 29.853 | 27.712 | 27.305 | .407 | .163 | 73.2 | 86.0 | P | 66.9 | P | 76.5 | P | 19.1 | 98.2 | 52.9 | 45.3 | 29.4 | |
| | Bangalore . . . | 3,021 | 26.933 | -.013 | 29.866 | 27.103 | 26.753 | .350 | .154 | 69.7 | 84.6 | +0.7 | 64.0 | +0.1 | 74.3 | +0.4 | 20.6 | 96.8 | 51.9 | 44.9 | 30.1 | |
| MYSORE . . . | Hassan . . . | 3,091 | 26.880 | P | 29.879 | 27.043 | 26.723 | .320 | .145 | 70.2 | 82.0 | P | 62.0 | P | 72.0 | P | 19.9 | 94.0 | 47.0 | 47.0 | 30.2 | |
| | Mysore . . . | 2,518 | 27.431 | P | 29.883 | 27.593 | 27.280 | .313 | .155 | 71.4 | 85.9 | P | 65.3 | P | 75.7 | P | 20.6 | 95.9 | 52.9 | 43.0 | 29.6 | |

* Mean of 10 months.

† Mean of 11 months.

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at 199 stations in India, Burma, etc., in the year 1894—contd.

| WIND DIRECTION. | | | | | | | | | WIND VELOCITY. | | | HYGROMETRY 8 A.M. | | Mean cloud amount of year. | RAINFALL. | | | | | | Heaviest rainfall during year. | STATION. | METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE OR DISTRICT. |
|----------------------|-----|------|-----|------|---------------|------|-----|------|----------------------------------|---------|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|------------|-------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Number of winds from | | | | | | | | | Mean velocity in miles per hour. | Normal. | Percentage variation. | Mean humidity of year. | Mean vapour tension of year. | | Number of rainy days during year. | Normal number of rainy days during year. | Variation. | Rainfall of year. | Normal rainfall of year. | Variation from normal of year. | | | |
| Calm. | N. | N.E. | E. | S.E. | S. | S.W. | W. | N.W. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 21 | 12 | 9 | 8 | 4 | 4 | 58 | 158 | 91 | 12.4 | 7.2 | +72 | 70 | .626 | 3.8 | 41 | 40.57 | +0.43 | 28.46 | 25.60 | + 2.86 | 5.20 | Malegaon. | KHANDESH. |
| 99 | 56 | 23 | 8 | 21 | 11 | 28 | 56 | 63 | 11.7 | P | P | 78 | .643 | 3.5 | 43 | P | P | 25.82 | P | P | 2.90 | Ahmednagar. | |
| 56 | 12 | 18 | 39 | 16 | 9 | 25 | 146 | 44 | 7.0 | 5.5 | +27 | 63 | .551 | 3.2 | 43 | 50.58 | -7.58 | 33.68 | 37.90 | - 4.22 | 7.42 | Akola. | BERAR. |
| 11 | 13 | 58 | 56 | 25 | 2 | 46 | 118 | 36 | 6.1 | 4.7 | +30 | 63 | .546 | 3.5 | 53 | 50.99 | +2.01 | 41.12 | 37.41 | + 3.71 | 6.62 | Amraoti. | |
| 56 | 11 | 25 | 26 | 8 | 13 | 25 | 128 | 73 | 6.6 | 5.4 | +22 | 67 | .549 | 3.6 | 51 | 44.36 | +6.64 | 40.10 | 33.29 | + 6.81 | 3.98 | Khandwa. | CENTRAL PROVINCES, WEST. |
| 67 | 6 | 56 | 40 | 2 | 16 | 86 | 54 | 4 | 2.8† | 3.0† | - 7 | 71† | .602† | 4.7† | 72 | 60.53 | +11.47 | 61.53 | 56.58 | + 4.95 | 4.23 | Hoshangabad. | |
| 91 | 60 | 34 | 6 | 4 | 14 | 34 | 49 | 73 | 5.8 | 5.0 | +16 | 64 | .571 | 4.2 | 75 | 64.93 | +10.07 | 56.56 | 50.91 | + 5.65 | 4.00 | Nagpur. | |
| 94 | 16 | 10 | 31 | 46 | 7 | 65 | 62 | 34 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 0 | 66 | .582 | 4.0 | 67 | P | P | 53.24 | 58.53 | - 5.29 | 4.15 | Chanda. | CENTRAL PROVINCES, CENTRAL. |
| | | | | | Not recorded. | | | | P | 3.9 | P | 75 | .608 | 4.1 | 87 | 73.65 | +13.35 | 55.17 | 58.89 | - 3.72 | 3.00 | Seoni. | |
| 88 | 17 | 19 | 3 | 51 | 49 | 40 | 77 | 21 | 2.8 | 3.3 | -15 | 71 | .565 | 4.1 | 74 | 65.62 | +8.38 | 60.65 | 60.37 | + 0.28 | 3.55 | Jubbulpore. | |
| 92 | 16 | 39 | 17 | 34 | 18 | 72 | 63 | 14 | 3.9 | 3.5 | +11 | 68 | .533 | 3.4 | 78 | 56.93 | +21.07 | 73.31 | 48.93 | +24.38 | 4.36 | Saugor. | |
| 110 | 24 | 25 | 17 | 3 | 10 | 79 | 75 | 21 | 5.7 | 5.6 | + 2 | 67 | .601 | 4.4 | 61 | 65.61 | -4.61 | 54.82 | 52.52 | + 2.30 | 3.82 | Raipur. | CENTRAL PROVINCES, EAST. |
| 45 | 68 | 18 | 26 | 13 | 20 | 11 | 102 | 59 | 6.1 | 6.1 | 0 | 68 | .566 | 3.4 | 73 | 52.91 | +20.09 | 64.08 | 46.48 | +17.60 | 8.25 | Sutna. | |
| ... | 73 | 65 | 32 | 33 | 52 | 75 | 13 | 22 | 4.2 | 2.3 | +83 | 72 | .679 | 4.3 | 80 | P | P | 72.90 | 68.05 | + 4.85 | 5.25 | Sambalpur. | |
| 99 | 13 | 38 | 18 | 18 | 18 | 61 | 59 | 41 | 5.2 | P | P | 57 | .524 | 3.6 | 50 | P | P | 32.00 | 32.27 | - 0.27 | 3.12 | Aurangabad. | HYDERABAD, NORTH. |
| 54 | 35 | 8 | 26 | 27 | 23 | 27 | 82 | 83 | 8.0 | P | P | 71 | .654 | 4.0 | 67 | P | P | 52.05 | 37.40 | +14.65 | 4.35 | Indur. | |
| ... | 41 | 23 | 35 | 40 | 22 | 71 | 78 | 54 | 8.4 | P | P | 71 | .605 | 2.8 | 53 | P | P | 34.99 | 42.04 | - 7.05 | 3.07 | Bidar. | |
| 63 | 29 | 36 | 42 | 21 | 13 | 46 | 67 | 48 | 10.1 | P | P | 70 | .627 | 4.5 | 53 | P | P | 50.38 | 29.19 | + 1.19 | 2.48 | Gulbarga. | HYDERABAD, SOUTH. |
| ... | 10 | 23 | 34 | 52 | 44 | 48 | 102 | 52 | 8.8 | P | P | 65 | .601 | 2.8 | 42 | P | P | 35.91 | P | P | 3.10 | Raichur. | |
| 105 | 10 | 11 | 17 | 28 | 11 | 2 | 128 | 52 | 5.9 | P | P | 72 | .608 | 4.2 | 60 | P | P | 32.48 | 33.72 | - 1.24 | 2.36 | Hyderabad (Division). | |
| 54 | 8 | 28 | 60 | 20 | 5 | 36 | 83 | 71 | 6.6 | 6.5 | + 2 | 69 | .569 | 3.9 | 57 | P | P | 30.48 | P | P | 2.92 | Secunderabad. | |
| 167 | 19 | 1 | 1 | 52 | 34 | 12 | 54 | 25 | 6.4 | P | P | 78 | .752 | 2.6 | 57 | P | P | 30.80 | P | P | 2.62 | Khamamet. | |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 91.06 | 104.55 | -13.80 | ... | X.—West Coast. | |
| 10 | 39 | 72 | 62 | 24 | 24 | 38 | 73 | 23 | 10.9 | 12.2 | -11 | 79 | .780 | 4.4 | 82 | 76.63 | +5.37 | 66.85 | 74.12 | - 7.27 | 4.21 | Bombay. | KONKAN. |
| 31 | 34 | 31 | 28 | 70 | 35 | 49 | 22 | 54 | 5.7 | 10.2 | -44 | 76 | .755 | 4.4 | 98 | 97.80 | +0.20 | 100.33 | 111.65 | -11.32 | 3.52 | Ratnagiri. | |
| 7 | 60 | 20 | 46 | 65 | 15 | 6 | 50 | 96 | 9.5 | P | P | 83 | .815 | 3.7 | 93 | P | P | 93.61 | P | P | 5.17 | Mormugao. | |
| 68 | 21 | 93 | 55 | 8 | 9 | 51 | 32 | 26 | 6.6 | P | P | 77 | .761 | 4.5 | 92 | P | P | 84.50 | 103.32 | -18.82 | 6.10 | Goa. | |
| 56 | 32 | 113 | 38 | 6 | 16 | 48 | 26 | 30 | 3.3 | P | P | 83 | .751 | 3.9 | 100 | 109.07 | -9.07 | 95.64 | 129.19 | -33.55 | 6.28 | Karwar. | |
| 84 | 51 | 158 | 18 | 5 | ... | 2 | 27 | 20 | 5.4 | P | P | 81 | .801 | 4.2 | 133 | 132.16 | +0.84 | 91.96 | 116.52 | -24.56 | 4.21 | Cochin. | MALABAR. |
| 98 | 31 | 60 | 96 | 29 | 3 | 2 | 11 | 35 | 11.1 | P | P | 83 | .800 | 4.6 | 122 | 113.90 | +8.10 | 116.30 | 113.13 | + 3.17 | 7.50 | Calicut. | |
| 78 | 26 | 38 | 124 | 39 | 3 | 8 | 20 | 29 | 2.5 | 3.4 | -27 | 80 | .781 | 5.0 | 119 | 118.30 | +0.70 | 129.84 | 122.74 | + 7.10 | 4.66 | Mangalore. | |
| 70 | 93 | 75 | 25 | 7 | 1 | 2 | 18 | 74 | 5.6 | P | P | 85 | .812 | 5.1 | 83 | P | P | 40.52 | 65.69 | -25.17 | 2.14 | Trivandrum. | |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 37.21 | 43.78 | -4.89 | ... | XI.—South India. | |
| 2 | 40 | 61 | 42 | 28 | 54 | 89 | 40 | 8 | 11.4 | P | P | 81 | .870 | 4.1 | 54 | 33.10 | +20.90 | 32.09 | 37.00 | - 4.91 | 3.88 | Pamban. | MADRAS, SOUTH. |
| 3 | 72 | 21 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 39 | 75 | 144 | 6.8 | P | P | 67 | .731 | 6.1 | 33 | 43.00 | -10.00 | 19.52 | P | P | 3.24 | Tinnevely. | |
| 37 | 102 | 53 | 9 | 14 | 3 | 14 | 13 | 120 | 2.6 | 4.2 | -38 | 70 | .732 | 3.6 | 53 | 43.71 | +9.29 | 35.19 | 32.69 | + 2.50 | 4.22 | Madura. | |
| 120 | 15 | 48 | 8 | 12 | 60 | 79 | 17 | 6 | 3.9 | 4.4 | -11 | 73 | .605 | 4.3 | 64 | 66.50 | -2.50 | 30.62 | 41.44 | -10.82 | 2.72 | Salem. | MADRAS, SOUTH CENTRAL. |
| ... | 43 | 23 | 87 | 15 | 114 | 74 | 9 | ... | 3.7 | 4.8 | -23 | 82 | .708 | 4.6 | 38 | 45.20 | -7.20 | 14.99 | 21.24 | - 6.25 | 1.89 | Coimbatore. | |
| ... | 50 | 52 | 68 | 10 | 5 | 14 | 72 | 94 | 7.9 | 5.8 | +36 | 87 | .552 | 6.2 | 145 | 137.20 | +7.80 | 100.22 | 129.37 | -29.15 | 4.67 | Mercara. | COORG. |
| 6 | 1 | 10 | 62 | 45 | 6 | 94 | 112 | 29 | 10.3 | P | P | 70 | .573 | 5.1 | 46 | P | P | 22.24 | P | P | 3.24 | Chitaldroog. | MYSORE. |
| 5 | 2 | 43 | 66 | 22 | 10 | 82 | 118 | 17 | 7.2 | 5.2 | +38 | 80 | .590 | 4.5 | 63 | 61.68 | +1.32 | 32.21 | 35.86 | - 3.65 | 2.38 | Bangalore. | |
| 57 | 6 | 27 | 55 | 25 | 6 | 28 | 112 | 49 | 3.7 | P | P | 78 | .580 | 5.5 | 61 | P | P | 38.58 | P | P | 3.12 | Hassan. | |
| 34 | 9 | 46 | 57 | 7 | 11 | 96 | 94 | 11 | 11.5 | P | P | 81 | .615 | 4.1 | 50 | P | P | 29.31 | P | P | 1.97 | Mysore. | |

† Mean of 11 months.

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Table

Abstract of observations taken at 8 A. M.

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE OR DISTRICT. | STATION. | Elevation of Bar Clinometer above sea level in feet. | PRESSURE 8 A.M. IN INCHES. | | | | | | | | TEMPERATURE OF AIR. | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------|--|--|------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--|-----------------------------|------------------------------|------|
| | | | Mean actual pressure (reduced to 32°). | Variation from normal. | Mean pressure reduced to sea level and to constant gravity 45° Lat. | Highest pressure reduced during year. | Lowest pressure recorded during year. | Absolute range during year. | Mean monthly range of pressure. | Mean 8 A.M. of year. | Mean maximum of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Mean minimum of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Mean daily temperature of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Mean daily range of temperature. | Highest temperature observed during year. | Lowest temperature observed during year. | Absolute range during year. | Mean monthly absolute range. | |
| MADRAS, EAST-COAST, SOUTH. | Negapatam . . . | 31 | 29.855 | -.011 | 29.815 | 30.059 | 29.689 | .370 | .154 | 81.5 | 90.5 | +1.2 | 76.1 | +0.5 | 83.3 | +0.8 | 14.4 | 106.8 | 62.2 | 44.6 | 25.1 | |
| | Cuddalore . . . | 12 | .890 | ? | .831 | .094 | .668 | .426 | .167 | 80.4 | 89.7 | ? | 74.3 | ? | 82.0 | ? | 15.4 | 106.3 | 55.8 | 50.5 | 25.8 | |
| | Trichinopoly . . . | 255 | .653 | -.013 | .842 | 29.842 | 29.467 | .375 | .152 | 80.3 | 95.0 | +1.0 | 74.5 | +0.8 | 84.8 | +0.9 | 20.5 | 106.7 | 60.4 | 46.3 | 30.5 | |
| | Madras . . . | 22 | .876 | -.016 | .829 | 30.108 | 29.626 | .482 | .181 | 81.1 | 91.5 | +0.7 | 74.8 | +0.1 | 83.1 | +0.4 | 16.7 | 110.0 | 61.0 | 49.0 | 27.8 | |
| MADRAS, EAST-COAST, CENTRAL. | Nellore . . . | 71 | .812 | ? | .816 | 30.072 | 29.551 | .521 | .191 | 81.4 | 94.4 | ? | 75.6 | ? | 85.0 | ? | 18.8 | 116.2 | 63.6 | 52.6 | 30.1 | |
| | Masulipatam . . . | 15 | .866 | -.004 | .816 | 30.159 | 29.552 | .607 | .211 | 80.1 | 90.5 | +0.2 | 74.3 | +0.1 | 82.5 | +0.2 | 16.2 | 114.7 | 59.7 | 55.0 | 30.1 | |
| MADRAS, CENTRAL. | Cuddapah . . . | 433 | .466 | ? | .841 | 29.717 | .243 | .474 | .185 | 81.0 | 94.9 | +0.6 | 74.4 | +0.1 | 84.6 | +0.4 | 20.5 | 111.3 | 59.3 | 52.0 | 32.1 | |
| | Kurnool . . . | 924 | 28.966 | -.016† | .837 | .209 | 28.718 | .491 | .185 | 77.5 | 93.1 | -0.2 | 70.3 | -0.2 | 81.7 | -0.2 | 22.9† | 110.3 | 49.7 | 60.6 | 34.6 | |
| | Bellary . . . | 1,475 | .428 | +0.03* | 29.853 | 28.655 | .195 | .460 | .176 | 76.5 | 92.6† | -1.1† | 70.5 | +0.1 | 81.8† | -0.4† | 21.5† | 105.0 | 56.1 | 48.9 | 32.0† | |
| MADRAS, EAST-COAST, NORTH. | Rajahmundry . . . | 112 | 29.754 | -.009 | 29.804 | 30.049 | 29.458 | .591 | .211 | 79.3 | 92.4 | +0.3 | 74.1 | +0.2 | 83.3 | +0.2 | 18.3 | 114.1 | 57.9 | 56.2 | 30.6 | |
| | Cocanada . . . | 26 | 29.841 | -.002 | 29.802 | 30.147 | 29.528 | .619 | .224 | 79.4 | 88.9 | +1.2 | 74.6 | -0.2 | 81.8 | +0.5 | 14.4 | 109.3 | 59.6 | 49.7 | 27.4 | |
| | Vizagapatam . . . | 31 | 29.827 | -.011 | 29.796 | 30.129 | .508 | .621 | .231 | 80.9 | 85.4 | ? | 79.0 | -0.4 | 82.2 | -0.2 | 6.4 | 95.8 | 65.0 | 30.8 | 14.3 | |
| | Gopalpur . . . | 21 | 29.825 | ? | 29.785 | 30.184 | .451 | .733 | .236 | 77.1 | 85.9 | ? | 73.0 | ? | 79.5 | ? | 12.9 | 100.7 | 54.6 | 46.1 | 23.4 | |
| XII.—Hill Stations. | | | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | |
| BALUCHISTAN . . . | Kachh* . . . | ? | 23.927 | ? | ? | 24.150 | 23.650 | .500 | .222 | 55.9 | 69.8† | ? | 38.1 | ? | 54.8: | ? | 30.0: | 97.0 | 11.0 | 86.0 | 50.0 | |
| | Pishin . . . | | | | Observations | not recorded. | | | | | 77.1 | ? | 38.8 | ? | 58.0 | ? | 38.3 | 107.1 | 8.9 | 98.2 | 58.2 | |
| | Quetta . . . | 5,505 | 24.614 | -.002 | ? | 24.869 | 24.327 | .562 | .247 | 55.9 | 71.9 | -1.4 | 43.9 | -0.6 | 57.9 | -1.0 | 28.0 | 97.1 | 14.8 | 82.3 | 46.7 | |
| | Kalat . . . | | | | Observations | not recorded. | | | | 53.7 | 72.0 | ? | 34.2 | ? | 53.2 | ? | 37.8 | 99.7 | 4.4 | 95.3 | 59.8 | |
| NORTHERN INDIA . . . | Chaman . . . | ? | 25.621† | ? | ? | 25.929 | 25.329 | .600 | .277† | 64.8* | 77.5* | ? | 55.8† | ? | 67.8† | ? | 23.9† | 106.5 | 20.6 | 85.9 | 44.1† | |
| | Srinagar . . . | 5,204 | 24.869 | ? | ? | 25.200 | 24.504 | .696 | .325 | 51.0 | 64.2 | ? | 44.6 | ? | 54.4 | ? | 19.6 | 89.3 | 19.1 | 70.2 | 35.0 | |
| | Gilgit . . . | ? | 25.737 | ? | ? | 26.680 | 24.800 | 1.880 | .497 | 59.3 | 76.1* | ? | 53.8 | ? | 65.8* | ? | 20.7* | 109.8 | 27.7 | 82.1 | 39.0* | |
| | Cherat . . . | ? | 25.653 | ? | ? | 25.960 | 25.275 | .685 | .273 | 61.5 | 72.3 | ? | 56.1 | ? | 64.2 | ? | 16.2 | 105.5 | 29.1 | 76.4 | 34.8 | |
| | Murree . . . | 6,344 | 23.803 | -.015 | ? | 24.027 | 23.422 | .605 | .253 | 54.9 | 64.0 | -1.7 | 51.2 | +0.4 | 57.6 | -0.7 | 12.9 | 92.2 | 24.5 | 67.7 | 32.1 | |
| | Poo . . . | ? | | | | Not recorded. | | | | | 60.4 | ? | 41.2 | ? | 50.8 | ? | 19.2 | 87.8 | 12.2 | 75.6 | 34.3 | |
| | Simla . . . | 7,224 | 23.081 | -.011 | ? | 23.274 | 22.870 | .404 | .234 | 53.5 | 60.3 | -2.7 | 49.9 | -0.1 | 55.1 | -1.5 | 10.4 | 83.4 | 28.0 | 55.4 | 24.2 | |
| | Chakrata . . . | 7,052 | 23.295 | -.004* | | 23.518 | 23.088 | .430 | .232 | 54.5 | 63.0 | -1.3 | 49.8 | +0.3 | 56.4 | -0.5 | 13.2 | 85.3 | 29.1 | 56.2 | 27.7 | |
| | Mussooree . . . | ? | 23.530 | ? | ? | 23.746 | 23.311 | .435 | .232 | 55.1 | 62.6 | ? | 50.9 | ? | 56.8 | ? | 11.7 | 87.8 | 30.5 | 57.3 | 24.8 | |
| | Ranikhet . . . | 6,069 | 24.077 | +0.01* | ? | 24.306 | 23.830 | .476 | .221 | 57.8 | 67.0 | -0.7 | 53.5 | +0.4 | 60.2 | -0.2 | 13.5 | 88.6 | 32.5 | 56.1 | 27.2 | |
| | Gnatong . . . | ? | | | | Not recorded. | | | | 38.5 | 46.3 | ? | 31.9 | ? | 39.1 | ? | 14.4 | 63.8 | 10.1 | 53.7 | 29.3 | |
| | Darjeeling . . . | 7,421 | 22.958 | -.010 | ? | 23.142 | 22.704 | .438 | .230 | 53.9 | 58.3 | 0 | 48.2 | +1.3 | 53.3 | +0.7 | 10.1 | 71.9 | 31.2 | 40.7 | 20.7 | |
| | Gantok . . . | ? | 24.453 | ? | ? | 24.678 | 24.203 | .475 | .272 | 56.8 | 67.8 | ? | 52.0 | ? | 59.9 | ? | 15.8 | 83.3 | 34.9 | 48.4 | 27.9 | |
| | CENTRAL INDIA . . . | Mount Abu . . . | 3,945 | 26.013 | -.017 | ? | 26.288 | 25.576 | .712 | .218 | 66.7 | 74.2 | -2.1 | 61.4 | -0.4 | 67.8 | -1.3 | 12.8 | 92.2 | 41.1 | 51.1 | 25.6 |
| | | Pachmarhi . . . | 3,528 | 26.428 | +0.02 | ? | 26.686 | 25.973 | .713 | .219 | 70.4 | 79.2 | +0.2 | 62.2 | +1.3 | 70.7 | +0.7 | 17.0 | 99.7 | 39.3 | 60.4 | 29.9 |
| SOUTH INDIA . . . | Wellington . . . | 6,200 | 24.246 | -.013 | ? | 24.373 | 24.087 | .286 | .133 | 62.6 | 70.8* | +0.2 | 52.7 | -1.1 | 61.8 | -0.5 | 18.1 | 81.2 | 32.2 | 49.0 | 29.4 | |
| XIII.—Extra India | | | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | |
| CEYLON . . . | Colombo . . . | 40 | 29.900 | -.008 | 29.866 | 30.015 | 29.765 | .250 | .130 | 82.6 | 86.4 | ? | 75.3 | ? | 80.9 | ? | 11.1 | 92.0 | 66.0 | 26.0 | 18.1 | |
| PERSIA . . . | Teheran . . . | ? | 26.001 | ? | ? | 26.400 | 25.500 | .900 | .425 | 60.8 | 72.8 | ? | 51.1 | ? | 61.9 | ? | 21.7 | 105.4 | 19.6 | 85.8 | 43.3 | |
| | Isfahan . . . | ? | | | Observations | not recorded. | | | | 57.2 | 72.9 | ? | 44.8 | ? | 58.8 | ? | 28.1 | 103.5 | 11.6 | 91.9 | 45.3 | |
| | Bushire . . . | 14 | 29.862 | ? | 29.832 | 30.308 | 29.345 | .963 | .309 | 74.7 | 80.5 | ? | 68.9 | ? | 74.7 | ? | 11.6 | 104.5 | 40.6 | 63.9 | 28.4 | |
| | Jask* . . . | ? | 29.890† | ? | ? | 30.378 | 29.349 | 1.029 | .356 | 88.0 | 86.1 | ? | *72.9 | ? | 79.4 | ? | 13.4 | 105.2 | 46.3 | 58.9 | 26.7 | |

* Mean of 11 months.

† Mean of 10 months.

‡ Mean of 9 months.

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at 199 stations in India, Burma, etc., in the year 1894—contd.

| WIND DIRECTION. | | | | | | | | | WIND VELOCITY. | | | HYGROMETRY 8 A.M. | | Mean cloud amount of year. | RAINFALL. | | | | | | Heaviest rainfall during year. | STATION. | METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE OR DISTRICT. | |
|----------------------|-----|------|---------------|------|-----|------|-----|------|----------------------------------|---------|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|------------|-------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|----------------|
| Number of winds from | | | | | | | | | Mean velocity in miles per hour. | Normal. | Percentage variation. | Mean humidity of year. | Mean vapour tension of year. | | Number of rainy days during year. | Normal number of rainy days during year. | Variation. | Rainfall of year. | Normal rainfall of year. | Variation from normal of year. | | | | |
| Calm. | N. | N.E. | E. | S.E. | S. | S.W. | W. | N.W. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 48 | 16 | 47 | 11 | 9 | 19 | 76 | 92 | 49 | 9.6 | 5.6 | +71 | 75 | .802 | 5.5 | 53 | 60.74 | -7.74 | 46.61 | 54.66 | -8.05 | 4.04 | Negapatam . | MADRAS, EAST COAST, SOUTH. | |
| ... | 53 | 16 | 7 | 2 | 39 | 66 | 81 | 181 | 2.1 | P | P | 88 | .911 | 3.7 | 62 | 56.80 | +5.20 | 52.42 | P | P | 3.48 | Cuddalore. | | |
| 106 | 26 | 40 | 5 | 4 | 2 | 55 | 105 | 22 | 4.4 | 5.8 | -24 | 70 | .723 | 4.8 | 46 | 45.45 | +0.55 | 27.59 | 32.69 | -5.10 | 3.51 | Trichinopoly. | | |
| 15 | 47 | 27 | 16 | 12 | 59 | 89 | 74 | 32 | 6.6 | 7.1 | -7 | 76 | .804 | 5.0 | 63 | 60.53 | +2.47 | 48.71 | 48.63 | +0.08 | 3.70 | Madras. | | |
| 63 | 14 | 1 | 1 | 22 | 57 | 13 | 71 | 124 | 6.5 | P | P | 77 | .819 | 6.7 | 44 | 44.30 | -0.30 | 32.50 | P | P | 3.50 | Nellore . | MADRAS, EAST COAST, CENTRAL. | |
| 33 | 73 | 26 | 1 | 21 | 47 | 29 | 45 | 80 | 5.2 | 7.0 | -26 | 81 | .833 | 4.9 | 54 | 55.24 | -1.24 | 38.97 | 43.52 | -4.55 | 3.15 | Masulipatam. | | |
| 2 | 9 | 20 | 40 | 74 | 21 | 54 | 74 | 71 | P | P | P | 68 | .706 | 4.8 | 55 | 46.00 | +9.00 | 38.46 | 34.18 | +4.28 | 4.09 | Cuddapah . | MADRAS, CENTRAL. | |
| 187 | 6 | 11 | 29 | 6 | 8 | 22 | 68 | 28 | P | P | P | 67 | .631 | 4.4 | 59 | 48.93 | +10.07 | 31.26 | 30.06 | +1.20 | 2.53 | Kurnool. | | |
| 49 | 2 | 9 | 31 | 49 | 20 | 28 | 115 | 62 | 6.9 | 6.5 | +6 | 64 | .589 | 5.2 | 33 | 35.00 | -2.00 | 19.83 | 19.73 | +0.10 | 2.30 | Bellary. | MADRAS, EAST COAST, NORTH. | |
| 34 | 105 | 27 | 38 | 19 | 8 | 14 | 70 | 50 | P | P | P | 73 | .757 | 5.3 | 60 | 50.58 | +9.42 | 42.82 | 41.48 | +1.34 | 3.05 | Rajahmundry | | |
| 4 | 90 | 31 | 7 | 7 | 1 | 85 | 75 | 65 | 7.7 | P | P | 79 | .797 | 3.7 | 57 | 55.10 | +1.90 | 42.47 | 44.54 | -2.07 | 3.89 | Cocanada. | | |
| ... | 30 | 12 | 7 | 1 | 3 | 40 | 242 | 30 | 1.4 | 2.8 | -50 | 74 | .791 | 4.9 | 54 | 64.36 | -10.36 | 43.40 | 46.47 | -3.07 | 8.73 | Vizagapatam. | | |
| 19 | 77 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 35 | 120 | 19 | 89 | 12.5 | 9.6 | +30 | 84 | .787 | 1.9 | 66 | 61.35 | +4.65 | 35.75 | 50.72 | -14.97 | 3.30 | Gopalpur. | | |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | XII.—Hill Stations. | |
| 50 | 13 | 3 | 47 | 12 | 6 | 16 | 87 | 83 | P | P | P | 48 | .220 | 1.9 | 25 | P | P | 15.16 | P | P | 1.38 | Kachh . | BALUCHISTAN. | |
| ... | ... | ... | Not recorded. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | P | P | P | P | P | P | *33 | P | P | *16.82 | P | P | 1.51 | Pishin. | | |
| 338 | 2 | 1 | ... | 10 | 8 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1.8 | 4.1 | -56 | 60 | .282 | 2.3 | 37 | 22.45 | +14.55 | 17.66 | 10.89 | +6.77 | 1.43 | Quetta. | | |
| ... | 82 | ... | 7 | ... | 243 | 3 | 3 | 27 | P | P | P | P | P | P | 29 | P | P | 12.55 | P | P | 1.21 | Kalat. | | |
| 89 | 8 | 8 | 23 | 65 | 34 | 75 | 24 | 6 | *7.1 | P | P | *49 | *260 | *3.1 | 130 | P | P | 19.42 | P | P | 1.35 | Chaman. | NORTHERN INDIA. | |
| 148 | 27 | 20 | 18 | 62 | 56 | 3 | 14 | 17 | 4.0 | P | P | 89 | .366 | 5.5 | 72 | P | P | 31.48 | P | P | 1.35 | Srinagar . | | |
| ... | ... | ... | Not recorded. | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | P | P | P | 51 | .273 | 4.9 | 20 | P | P | 6.18 | P | P | 0.94 | Gilgit. | | |
| 81 | 126 | 3 | 6 | 60 | 13 | 6 | 6 | 64 | 13.5 | P | P | 58 | .345 | 4.0 | 46 | P | P | 31.11 | P | P | 2.93 | Cherat. | | |
| 51 | 28 | 29 | 32 | 102 | 10 | 15 | 11 | 87 | 9.2 | 6.8 | +35 | 59 | .274 | 4.6 | 103 | 67.56 | +35.44 | 74.63 | 56.29 | +18.34 | 5.53 | Murree. | | |
| 231 | 9 | 10 | 20 | 33 | 12 | 14 | 19 | 16 | P | P | P | P | P | 4.6 | 64 | P | P | 25.65 | P | P | 2.12 | Poo. | | |
| 109 | 55 | 80 | 26 | 17 | 47 | 23 | 2 | 5 | 5.2 | 2.2 | +136 | 62 | .275 | 5.0 | 112 | 84.52 | +27.48 | 109.71 | 64.19 | +45.52 | 6.01 | Simla. | | |
| 90 | 8 | 72 | 106 | 19 | 2 | 18 | 31 | 19 | 6.5 | 5.1 | +27 | 69 | .314 | 4.8 | 123 | P | P | 116.53 | 67.76 | +48.77 | 5.14 | Chakrata. | | |
| 12 | 38 | 60 | 83 | 28 | 12 | 13 | 42 | 77 | P | P | P | 72 | .332 | 4.6 | 129 | 179.73 | +40.27 | 131.73 | P | P | 5.54 | Mussooree. | | |
| 237 | 10 | 32 | 10 | 9 | 4 | 35 | 19 | 9 | 2.7 | 2.1 | +29 | 71 | .358 | 4.7 | 108 | 77.29 | +30.71 | 81.30 | 54.44 | +26.86 | 7.21 | Ranikhet. | | |
| 16 | 9 | 18 | 33 | 123 | 8 | 24 | 28 | 102 | 5.4 | P | P | 80 | .204 | 4.8 | 195 | P | P | 151.28 | P | P | 3.85 | Gnatong. | | |
| 62 | 13 | 60 | 83 | 25 | 15 | 36 | 47 | 24 | 5.3 | 4.1 | +29 | 86 | .358 | 6.6 | 139 | 118.14 | +20.86 | 107.87 | 124.59 | -16.72 | 3.56 | Darjeeling. | | |
| ... | 40 | 29 | 52 | 27 | 45 | 70 | 80 | 21 | *1.5 | P | P | 87 | .422 | 5.4 | 182 | P | P | 163.62 | P | P | 5.82 | Gantok. | | |
| 31 | 19 | 61 | 6 | 21 | 11 | 145 | 40 | 31 | 9.2 | 7.0 | +31 | 61 | .395 | 3.7 | 68 | 53.19 | +14.81 | 79.85 | 66.87 | +12.98 | 6.19 | Mount Abu . | | CENTRAL INDIA. |
| 46 | 10 | 19 | 35 | 22 | 21 | 55 | 125 | 32 | 7.1 | 5.2 | +37 | 60 | .433 | 4.3 | 95 | 80.37 | +14.63 | 84.53 | 78.23 | +6.30 | 7.68 | Pachmarhi. | | |
| 224 | 11 | 27 | 18 | 9 | 11 | 35 | 20 | 10 | 2.7 | 3.3 | -18 | 68 | .393 | 4.6 | 87 | 88.63 | -1.63 | 41.25 | 52.98 | -11.73 | 2.24 | Wellington . | | SOUTH INDIA. |
| ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | XIII.—Extra India. | |
| 12 | 39 | 48 | 15 | 17 | 17 | 123 | 82 | 11 | 9.2 | 7.6 | +21 | 75 | .538 | 5.2 | 101 | P | P | 79.60 | 90.04 | ... | 6.73 | Colombo . | CEYLON, PERSIA. | |
| 216 | 48 | 18 | 7 | 2 | 30 | 9 | 8 | 11 | 3.4 | P | P | 50 | .261 | 2.2 | 37 | P | P | 10.53 | P | P | 0.92 | Teheran. | | |
| ... | 32 | 37 | 18 | 13 | 12 | 51 | 100 | 92 | 4.5 | P | P | 59 | .277 | 2.0 | 15 | P | P | 5.72 | P | P | 1.31 | Isphahan. | | |
| ... | 28 | 103 | 35 | 77 | 1 | 9 | 1 | 105 | 5.9 | 8.2 | -28 | 67 | .603 | P | 33 | P | P | 26.61 | 13.34 | +13.27 | 3.90 | Bushire. | | |
| 6 | 47 | 39 | 48 | 59 | 37 | 25 | 26 | 32 | 13.1 | P | P | 65 | .694 | 0.9 | 20 | P | P | 9.48 | P | P | 1.70 | Jask.* | | |

* Mean of 11 months.
† Sum of 10 months.‡ Sum of 11 months.
§ Wind observations of 332 days.
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Table

Abstract of observations taken at 8 A.M.

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE OR DISTRICT. | STATION. | Elevation of Bar Cistern above sea level in feet. | PRESSURE 8 A.M. IN INCHES. | | | | | | | | TEMPERATURE OF AIR. | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----------------|--|---|---------------------------|---|--|---|--------------------------------|---|----------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|---|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| | | | Mean actual pres- sure (reduced 32°). | Variation from normal. | Mean pressure reduced to sea level and to con- stant gravity 45° Lat. | Highest pressure recorded during year. | Lowest pressure recorded during year. | Absolute range during year. | Mean monthly range of pres- sure. | Mean at 8 A.M. of year. | Mean maximum of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Mean minimum of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Mean daily tem- perature of year. | Variation from normal of year. | Mean daily range of temperature. | Highest temper- ature observed during year. | Lowest temper- ature observed during month. | Absolute range during year. | Mean monthly absolute range. | |
| ARABIA . . . | Muscat . . . | ? | 29.841 | ? | ? | 30.263 | 29.373 | .890 | .289 | 80.7 | 83.4 | ? | 78.8 | ? | 81.1 | ? | 4.6 | 102.3 | 57.9 | 44.4 | 16.4 | |
| | Baghdad . . . | ? | 29.475 | ? | ? | 29.948 | 28.978 | .970 | .356 | 66.1 | 82.5 | ? | 60.6 | ? | 71.5 | ? | 21.9 | 113.9 | 24.0 | 89.9 | 39.0 | |
| | Aden . . . | 94 | 29.821 | —0.10 | 29.847 | 30.057 | 29.555 | .502 | .179 | 81.1 | 88.2 | —0.6 | 78.0 | +0.6 | 83.1 | ? | 10.2 | 100.8 | 68.4 | 32.4 | 19.3 | |
| | Perim . . . | ? | 29.660 | ? | ? | 29.905 | 29.392 | .513 | .175 | 83.0 | 89.7 | ? | 79.5 | ? | 84.6 | ? | 10.2 | 99.4 | 68.9 | 30.5 | 16.5 | |
| AFGHANISTAN . . | Kabul* . . . | ? | | | | Not re- corded. | | | | 53.8 | 71.1 | ? | 44.1 | ? | 57.6 | ? | 27.1 | 98.4 | 5.4 | 93.0 | 46.4 | |
| CENTRAL ASIA . . | Kashgar . . . | ? | 25.692 | ? | ? | 26.270 | 25.230 | 1.040 | .502 | 46.3 | 65.9 | ? | 43.4 | ? | 54.7 | ? | 22.5 | 104.2 | —2.7 | 106.9 | 45.8 | |
| ARABIAN ISLANDS. AFRICA . . . | Minicoy . . . | 10 | 29.939 | ? | 29.874 | 30.039 | 29.813 | .226 | .139 | 80.9 | 87.1 | ? | 79.1† | ? | 82.6† | ? | 7.1† | 94.3 | 73.2 | 21.1 | †14.0 | |
| | Zanzibar . . . | 73 | 29.983 | ? | 29.983 | 30.168 | 29.812 | .356 | .137 | 78.3 | 83.4 | ? | 76.2 | ? | 79.8 | ? | 7.2 | 89.2 | 68.5 | 20.7 | 13.4 | |

* Mean of 11 months.

† Mean of 7 months.

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at 199 stations in India, Burma, etc., in the year 1894—concl'd.

| WIND DIRECTION, | | | | | | | | | WIND VELOCITY, | | | HYGROMETRY 8 A.M. | | Mean cloud amount of year. | RAINFALL, | | | | | | Heaviest rainfall during year. | STATION. | METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE OR DISTRICT. |
|----------------------|----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|----------------------------------|---------|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|------------|-------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------|--------------------------------------|
| Number of winds from | | | | | | | | | Mean velocity in miles per hour. | Normal. | Percentage variation. | Mean humidity of year. | Mean vapour tension of year. | | Number of rainy days during year. | Normal number of rainy days during year. | Variation. | Rainfall of year. | Normal rainfall of year. | Variation from normal of year. | | | |
| Calm. | N. | N.E. | E. | S.E. | S. | S.W. | W. | N.W. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ... | 13 | 18 | 84 | 37 | 34 | 17 | 72 | 88 | 4'1† | ? | ? | 69 | 739 | 1'4 | 10 | ? | ? | 4'72 | ? | ? | 1'61 | Muscat | ARABIA. |
| 133 | 91 | 33 | 14 | 15 | 19 | 15 | 6 | 39 | (a)4'2 | ? | ? | 67 | 423 | 0'8 | 34 | ? | ? | 22'31 | ? | ? | 6'23 | Baghdad. | |
| 80 | 4 | 73 | 127 | 21 | 15 | 31 | 3 | 1 | 10'8 | 11'5 | -6 | 76 | 803 | 3'7 | 5 | ? | ? | 3'41 | 3'79 | -0'38 | 1'55 | Aden. | |
| 24 | 11 | 56 | 117 | 53 | 3 | 25 | 42 | 34 | 16.1 | ? | ? | 72 | 809 | 3'8 | 9 | ? | ? | 0'66 | ? | ? | 0'24† | Perim. | |
| ... | 1 | 1 | 152 | 37 | ... | 93 | 28 | 22 | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | 38 | ? | ? | 12'14 | ? | ? | 1'20 | Kabul* | AFGHANISTAN. |
| 154 | 27 | 16 | 35 | 12 | 9 | 13 | 47 | 30 | 3'1 | ? | ? | ? | ? | 4'0 | 14 | ? | ? | 8'37 | ? | ? | 4'50 | Kashgar | CENTRAL ASIA. |
| 21 | 41 | 45 | 21 | 10 | 1 | 20 | 134 | 65 | 12'5 | ? | ? | 81 | 852 | 4'9 | 86 | ? | ? | 50'10 | ? | ? | 2'96 | Minicoy | ARABIAN ISLANDS. SEA |
| ... | 29 | 69 | 12 | 39 | 117 | 85 | 8 | 5 | 8'5 | ? | ? | 84 | 821 | 5'5 | 90 | ? | ? | 39'63 | ? | ? | 2'86 | Zanzibar | AFRICA. |

Mean of 11 months.

(a) Mean of 9 months

† Mean of 10 months.

Table

Abstract of Observations recorded at 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | STATION. | Elevation of Bar-Cistern above sea level in feet. | PRESSURE. | | | | | | TEMPERATURE OF AIR. | | | | | | | | | |
|--|---------------------------|---|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------------|------------------------|--|---------------------|---------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|------------------------|
| | | | Mean of 10 hours. | Mean of 16 hours. | Mean daily range. | Mean daily pressure. | Variation from normal. | Mean reduced to S. L. and for gravity 45° Lat. | Mean maximum. | Mean minimum. | Mean daily range. | Highest maximum. | Lowest minimum. | Absolute range. | Mean 10 hours. | Mean 16 hours. | Mean daily. | Variation from normal. |
| BURMA COAST AND BAY ISLANDS. | Port Blair . . . | ... | 29.853 | 29.758 | .005 | 29.803 | -.008 | 29.790 | 88.7 | 77.3 | 9.4 | 96.4 | 70.0 | 26.4 | 83.4 | 84.0 | 80.8 | +0.2 |
| | Rangoon . . . | ... | .874 | .755 | .119 | .817 | -.015 | .795 | 89.7 | 72.7 | 17.0 | 102.6 | 57.0 | 45.6 | 81.5 | 85.2 | 79.0 | +0.2 |
| | Diamond Island . . . | ... | .875 | .773 | .103 | .821 | -.017 | .797 | 84.2 | 76.7 | 7.5 | 90.6 | 70.8 | 19.8 | 81.5 | 81.0 | 79.4 | +0.5 |
| | Cocos Island . . . | 111 | .826 | .735 | .091 | .778 | P | .824 | 85.5 | 76.3 | 9.2 | 91.6 | 69.9 | 21.7 | 82.3 | 81.9 | 79.5 | P |
| | Akyab . . . | ... | .881 | .773 | .108 | .827 | -.010 | .790 | 85.8 | 71.6 | 14.2 | 97.1 | 53.1 | 44.0 | 80.6 | 82.9 | 78.1 | -0.4 |
| ASSAM . . . | Silchar . . . | ... | .787 | .657 | .130 | .724 | -.013 | .779 | 95.8 | 68.1 | 17.7 | 97.4 | 45.7 | 51.7 | 77.8 | 83.1 | 75.9 | +0.4 |
| | Sibsagar . . . | ... | .565 | .426 | .139 | .495 | -.025 | .788 | 80.8 | 66.1 | 14.7 | 96.3 | 43.1 | 53.2 | 73.8 | 80.0 | 72.4 | +0.2 |
| | Dhubri . . . | ... | .759 | .624 | .135 | .690 | -.016 | .760 | 83.5 | 68.4 | 15.1 | 102.3 | 49.0 | 53.8 | 75.3 | 81.0 | 74.4 | +0.2 |
| BENGAL AND ORISSA . | Chittagong . . . | ... | .800 | .688 | .112 | .747 | -.011 | .782 | 84.7 | 69.5 | 15.2 | 96.0 | 49.6 | 46.4 | 79.9 | 81.3 | 76.4 | +0.1 |
| | Narayanganj . . . | ... | .841 | .722 | .119 | .782 | -.010 | .749 | 86.0 | 70.9 | 15.1 | 99.5 | 51.4 | 48.1 | 79.8 | 83.1 | 78.1 | +0.3 |
| | Calcutta (Alipore) . . . | ... | .834 | .717 | .117 | .773 | -.012 | .739 | 86.4 | 71.0 | 15.4 | 105.1 | 50.1 | 55.0 | 80.6 | 84.1 | 78.2 | +0.4 |
| | Do. (Chowringhee) . . . | ... | .841 | P | P | P | P | P | 87.9 | 71.1 | 16.8 | 105.0 | 49.9 | 55.1 | 82.3 | P | 79.5 | P |
| | Saugor Island . . . | ... | .832 | .720 | .112 | .773 | -.011 | .742 | 85.3 | 74.1 | 11.2 | 97.1 | 52.3 | 44.8 | 81.6 | 82.7 | 78.6 | +0.2 |
| | Burdwan . . . | ... | .752 | .626 | .126 | .686 | -.018 | .733 | 88.5 | 71.1 | 17.4 | 112.3 | 50.1 | 62.2 | 80.9 | 86.1 | 78.8 | -0.2 |
| | Berhampore . . . | ... | .785 | .662 | .123 | .721 | -.010 | .736 | 87.4 | 70.6 | 16.8 | 112.5 | 50.2 | 62.3 | 80.4 | 85.4 | 78.1 | 0 |
| | False Point . . . | ... | .842 | .735 | .107 | .788 | -.015 | .750 | 85.5 | 72.5 | 13.0 | 99.3 | 50.1 | 49.2 | 82.4 | 82.6 | 77.8 | +0.1 |
| | Cuttack . . . | ... | .767 | .646 | .121 | .710 | -.023 | .732 | 91.2 | 73.4 | 17.8 | 111.1 | 52.5 | 58.6 | 84.0 | 88.4 | 80.8 | +0.8 |
| | Hazaribagh . . . | ... | 27.829 | 27.726 | .103 | 27.778 | -.018 | .715 | 84.6 | 66.1 | 18.5 | 108.7 | 42.2 | 66.5 | 78.0 | 81.2 | 74.4 | +0.5 |
| GANGETIC PLAIN AND CHOTA NAGPUR. | Patna . . . | ... | 29.657 | 29.539 | .118 | 29.596 | -.019 | .732 | 87.1 | 69.9 | 17.2 | 113.9 | 45.4 | 68.5 | 80.9 | 85.2 | 77.7 | +0.4 |
| | Darbhanga . . . | ... | .682 | .555 | .127 | .618 | -.017 | .738 | 85.7 | 69.2 | 16.5 | 107.0 | 47.1 | 59.9 | 79.2 | 84.3 | 76.8 | +0.1 |
| | Allahabad . . . | ... | .525 | .410 | .115 | .463 | -.017 | .731 | 88.7 | 68.3 | 20.4 | 114.4 | 43.7 | 70.7 | 81.8 | 86.9 | 77.7 | +0.1 |
| | Ghazipur . . . | 220 | .603 | .489 | .114 | .543 | -.022 | .717 | 88.3 | 70.8 | 17.5 | 114.0 | 46.3 | 67.7 | 82.0 | 85.6 | 78.6 | +1.9 |
| | Lucknow . . . | ... | .472 | .361 | .111 | .413 | -.012 | .739 | 88.2 | 66.3 | 21.9 | 114.0 | 42.2 | 71.8 | 81.0 | 85.7 | 76.9 | -0.4 |
| UPPER SUB-HIMALAYAS. | Dehra Dun . . . | ... | 27.609 | 27.526 | .083 | 27.558 | -.015 | .746 | 80.0 | 61.5 | 18.5 | 105.7 | 39.3 | 66.4 | 72.9 | 76.1 | 69.5 | -0.9 |
| | Dhera Forest School . . . | ... | .615 | .530 | .085 | .573 | P | P | 80.9 | 60.2 | 20.7 | P | P | P | 74.0 | 77.6 | 69.7 | P |
| | Roorkee . . . | ... | 28.933 | 28.830 | .103 | 28.874 | -.007 | .728 | 85.3 | 63.8 | 21.5 | 112.7 | 37.0 | 75.7 | 76.6 | 82.8 | 73.7 | -0.4 |
| | Meerut . . . | ... | 29.083 | .982 | .101 | 29.025 | -.015 | .728 | 86.2 | 64.4 | 21.8 | 111.8 | 40.3 | 71.5 | 77.7 | 83.6 | 74.5 | -0.5 |
| | Lahore . . . | ... | .110 | 29.024 | .086 | .060 | -.013 | .740 | 86.6 | 63.6 | 23.0 | 115.5 | 38.2 | 77.3 | 77.7 | 84.8 | 74.1 | +0.7 |
| INDUS VALLEY AND N.-W. RAJPUTANA. | Ludhiana . . . | ... | .006 | 28.913 | .093 | 28.952 | -.013 | .733 | 85.6 | 64.2 | 21.4 | 115.8 | 39.2 | 76.6 | 77.6 | 83.5 | 74.0 | -0.2 |
| | Peshawar . . . | ... | 28.740 | .640 | .100 | .683 | -.003 | .777 | 84.6 | 60.0 | 24.6 | 114.0 | 30.4 | 83.6 | 75.5 | 82.6 | 71.3 | +0.7 |
| | Mooltan . . . | ... | 29.400 | 29.313 | .087 | 29.349 | -.006 | .737 | 91.0 | 66.1 | 24.9 | 115.7 | 37.5 | 78.2 | 79.6 | 89.3 | 77.6 | +1.4 |
| | Jacobabad . . . | ... | .642 | .526 | .116 | .577 | -.006 | .719 | 94.8 | 65.5 | 29.3 | 120.9 | 32.5 | 88.4 | 84.6 | 92.5 | 79.1 | +0.4 |
| | Kurrachee . . . | ... | .785 | .705 | .080 | .745 | P | .745 | 87.0 | 70.7 | 16.3 | 108.0 | 43.2 | 64.8 | 82.6 | 84.1 | 77.8 | P |
| EAST RAJPUTANA, CENTRAL INDIA AND GUJARAT. | Jeypore . . . | ... | 28.426 | 28.323 | .103 | 28.369 | -.007 | .762 | 89.4 | 65.2 | 24.2 | 112.1 | 39.9 | 72.2 | 80.6 | 86.8 | 76.1 | +0.1 |
| | Ajmere . . . | ... | .230 | .128 | .102 | .176 | P | .731 | 87.1 | 65.3 | 21.8 | 107.9 | 39.4 | 68.5 | 78.6 | 85.8 | 75.6 | +0.7 |
| | Deesa . . . | ... | 29.404 | 29.286 | .118 | 29.341 | -.007 | .757 | 92.7 | 66.8 | 25.9 | 113.2 | 40.6 | 72.6 | 83.3 | 90.8 | 79.4 | -0.4 |
| | Nowgong . . . | ... | .078 | 28.969 | .109 | .020 | -.018 | .729 | 88.0 | 65.2 | 22.8 | 113.6 | 39.6 | 74.0 | 80.2 | 85.5 | 75.9 | P |
| | Agra . . . | ... | .284 | 29.170 | .114 | .219 | -.019 | .731 | 89.1 | 67.5 | 21.6 | 116.2 | 42.5 | 73.7 | 81.5 | 86.9 | 77.8 | -0.3 |
| DECCAN . . . | Belgaum . . . | ... | 27.389 | 27.284 | .105 | 27.336 | -.007 | .754 | 83.5 | 64.0 | 19.5 | 98.0 | 53.4 | 44.6 | 77.1 | 79.9 | 72.4 | -0.2 |
| | Sholapur . . . | ... | 28.308 | 28.170 | .138 | 28.241 | -.007 | .748 | 90.1 | 68.2 | 21.9 | 108.9 | 52.2 | 56.7 | 82.6 | 89.8 | 79.2 | +0.2 |
| | Poona . . . | ... | .059 | 27.946 | .113 | .006 | -.007 | .762 | 89.6 | 65.0 | 24.6 | 107.5 | 49.9 | 57.6 | 81.0 | 85.8 | 76.3 | +0.5 |
| | Akola . . . | ... | .939 | 28.800 | .139 | .867 | -.014 | .736 | 92.5 | 68.2 | 24.3 | 113.2 | 46.5 | 66.7 | 83.4 | 90.4 | 80.0 | +1.0 |

II.

at 89 Stations in India, Burma, etc., in the year 1894.

| TEMPERATURE, WET-BULB. | | | | VAPOUR TENSION. | | | | | HUMIDITY. | | | | | CLOUD. | | | | RAIN-FALL. | STATION. | METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. |
|------------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|------------------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|------------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|--|
| Mean minimum. | Mean 10 hours. | Mean 16 hours. | Mean daily. | From minimum. | Mean 10 hours. | Mean 16 hours. | Mean daily. | Variation from normal. | From minimum. | Mean 10 hours. | Mean 16 hours. | Mean daily. | Variation from normal. | Mean 10 hours. | Mean 16 hours. | Mean daily. | Variation from normal. | Total rainfall for the year. | | |
| 74.6 | 78.4 | 78.3 | 77.1 | .823 | .909 | .895 | .876 | -.010 | 88 | 79 | 77 | 81 | -1 | 6.6 | 6.5 | 6.6 | +1.3 | ... | Port Blair. | BURMA COAST AND BAY ISLAND. |
| 70.5 | 75.3 | 75.5 | 73.7 | .728 | .800 | .757 | .762 | -.022 | 89 | 75 | 65 | 76 | -2 | 5.0 | 5.5 | 5.3 | -.01 | ... | Rangoon. | |
| 73.3 | 75.6 | 75.6 | 74.8 | .780 | .811 | .805 | .799 | -.014 | 84 | 75 | 74 | 78 | -2 | 5.8 | 6.1 | 6.0 | +1.1 | ... | Diamond Island. | |
| 71.2 | 76.9 | 76.4 | 74.8 | .708 | .857 | .843 | .803 | ? | 77 | 77 | 77 | 77 | ? | 4.8 | 5.0 | 4.9 | ? | 31.98 | Cocos Island. | |
| 69.2 | 75.0 | 76.9 | 74.0 | .702 | .844 | .855 | .800 | +.029 | 88 | 80 | 76 | 81 | +3 | 5.0 | 4.7 | 4.9 | +0.3 | ... | Akyab. | ASSAM. |
| 66.9 | 72.8 | 74.0 | 71.2 | .673 | .757 | .737 | .722 | +.011 | 94 | 78 | 65 | 79 | 0 | 6.1 | 5.8 | 6.0 | +0.6 | ... | Silchar. | |
| 65.5 | 70.9 | 73.4 | 69.9 | .655 | .743 | .758 | .719 | +.017 | 97 | 87 | 72 | 85 | +1 | 6.0 | 4.9 | 5.5 | -1.3 | ... | Sibsagar. | |
| 66.9 | 70.9 | 72.8 | 70.2 | .667 | .721 | .713 | .700 | +.013 | 92 | 79 | 67 | 80 | +2 | 4.8 | 4.4 | 4.6 | +0.7 | ... | Dhubri. | |
| 68.5 | 74.9 | 75.3 | 72.9 | .707 | .811 | .811 | .777 | +.028 | 95 | 78 | 75 | 82 | +2 | 5.1 | 4.8 | 5.0 | +0.5 | ... | Chittagong. | BENGAL AND ORISSA. |
| 68.6 | 74.1 | 74.4 | 72.4 | .695 | .784 | .752 | .743 | -.012 | 88 | 76 | 66 | 76 | -1 | 5.3 | 5.2 | 5.3 | +0.8 | ... | Narayanganj. | |
| 69.0 | 73.5 | 73.5 | 72.0 | .710 | .753 | .705 | .723 | -.032 | 90 | 70 | 60 | 74 | -4 | 4.5 | 4.5 | 4.5 | +0.1 | ... | Calcutta (Alipore). | |
| 69.7 | 71.9 | ? | ? | .736 | .802 | ? | ? | ? | 93 | 71 | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | 54.12 | Ditto (Chowringhee). | |
| 71.3 | 76.2 | 76.3 | 74.6 | .758 | .852 | .840 | .817 | -.008 | 87 | 77 | 73 | 79 | -1 | 5.9 | 5.6 | 5.8 | +0.1 | ... | Saugor Island. | GANGETIC PLAIN AND CHOTA NAGPUR. |
| 68.7 | 72.3 | 73.0 | 71.3 | .703 | .703 | .658 | .689 | -.003 | 88 | 65 | 53 | 69 | 0 | 4.5 | 5.2 | 4.9 | +0.5 | ... | Burdwan. | |
| 67.3 | 73.2 | 73.6 | 71.4 | .657 | .748 | .690 | .698 | +.004 | 84 | 70 | 58 | 71 | -4 | 4.3 | 4.9 | 4.6 | -0.3 | ... | Berhampore. | |
| 71.2 | 76.1 | 76.0 | 74.4 | .770 | .832 | .824 | .809 | +.015 | 94 | 74 | 73 | 80 | -1 | 5.5 | 5.4 | 5.5 | +0.8 | ... | False Point. | |
| 70.8 | 74.3 | 74.8 | 73.3 | .740 | .731 | .693 | .721 | +.002 | 88 | 62 | 53 | 67 | -3 | 3.5 | 4.5 | 4.0 | -0.1 | ... | Cuttack. | GANGETIC PLAIN AND CHOTA NAGPUR. |
| 59.2 | 66.5 | 67.0 | 64.2 | .446 | .530 | .506 | .494 | +.012 | 66 | 56 | 50 | 57 | +1 | 5.2 | 6.2 | 5.7 | +1.2 | ... | Hazaribagh. | |
| 65.8 | 71.4 | 72.0 | 69.7 | .619 | .670 | .632 | .641 | +.015 | 81 | 63 | 54 | 66 | +1 | 4.1 | 4.1 | 4.1 | +0.1 | ... | Patna. | |
| 67.4 | 71.9 | 72.8 | 70.7 | .684 | .708 | .674 | .689 | +.017 | 91 | 69 | 58 | 73 | +2 | 3.4 | 3.0 | 3.2 | +0.4 | ... | Darbhanga. | |
| 64.0 | 70.6 | 71.3 | 68.6 | .572 | .627 | .583 | .596 | +.022 | 80 | 59 | 48 | 62 | +1 | 4.2 | 4.4 | 4.3 | +1.1 | ... | Allahabad. | UPPER SUB-HIMALAYAS. |
| 66.9 | 71.1 | 71.5 | 69.9 | .649 | .645 | .610 | .634 | +.072 | 81 | 60 | 51 | 64 | +8 | 3.4 | 3.7 | 3.6 | +0.7 | 62.77 | Ghazipur. | |
| 63.7 | 69.7 | 70.3 | 68.5 | .577 | .604 | .562 | .591 | ? | 81 | 58 | 48 | 62 | ? | 4.2 | 4.3 | 4.3 | +0.8 | ... | Lucknow. | |
| 57.5 | 64.1 | 65.1 | 62.2 | .458 | .518 | .511 | .495 | ? | 79 | 64 | 58 | 67 | ? | 4.5 | 5.2 | 4.9 | +1.0 | ... | Dehra Dun. | |
| 56.6 | 64.4 | 65.7 | 62.2 | .447 | .510 | .506 | .366 | ? | 81 | 61 | 55 | 66 | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | 120.37 | Dehra Forest. | INDUS VALLEY AND N.-W. RAJ-PUTANA. |
| 60.5 | 67.2 | 68.4 | 65.4 | .520 | .573 | .533 | .542 | +.052 | 83 | 63 | 49 | 65 | +7 | 3.8 | 3.6 | 3.7 | +0.7 | ... | School. Roorkee. | |
| 61.5 | 66.5 | 67.9 | 65.3 | .550 | .537 | .504 | .530 | +.020 | 86 | 57 | 45 | 63 | +5 | 3.7 | 3.4 | 3.6 | +0.6 | ... | Meerut. | |
| 59.2 | 66.5 | 68.7 | 64.8 | .493 | .542 | .525 | .520 | +.033 | 77 | 57 | 45 | 60 | +9 | 3.1 | 3.0 | 3.1 | +0.4 | ... | Lahore. | |
| 60.8 | 67.0 | 68.6 | 65.5 | .529 | .560 | .539 | .542 | +.041 | 83 | 59 | 48 | 64 | +6 | 4.4 | 4.7 | 4.6 | +1.2 | ... | Ludhiana. | EAST RAJPUTANA, CENTRAL INDIA AND GUJARAT. |
| 54.8 | 63.0 | 64.6 | 60.8 | .416 | .466 | .424 | .435 | +.009 | 72 | 51 | 38 | 53 | 0 | 3.0 | 3.9 | 3.5 | +0.3 | ... | Peshawar. | |
| 60.3 | 67.4 | 71.0 | 66.2 | .498 | .559 | .559 | .539 | +.003 | 72 | 51 | 39 | 54 | 0 | 2.1 | 2.3 | 2.2 | +0.6 | ... | Mooltan. | |
| 57.4 | 68.0 | 69.4 | 64.9 | .429 | .510 | .448 | .462 | 0 | 58 | 41 | 29 | 43 | -1 | 1.9 | 2.1 | 2.0 | +0.1 | ... | Jacobabad. | |
| 66.0 | 73.1 | 73.7 | 70.9 | .621 | .725 | .727 | .691 | ? | 76 | 62 | 60 | 66 | ? | 3.6 | 2.9 | 3.3 | ? | ... | Kurrachee. | EAST RAJPUTANA, CENTRAL INDIA AND GUJARAT. |
| 59.3 | 66.6 | 68.1 | 64.7 | .476 | .505 | .479 | .487 | +.023 | 72 | 48 | 39 | 53 | +3 | 3.6 | 4.5 | 4.1 | +0.8 | ... | Jeypore. | |
| 59.6 | 66.7 | 69.6 | 65.3 | .478 | .535 | .544 | .519 | +.040 | 72 | 55 | 46 | 57 | +6 | 2.7 | 3.2 | 3.0 | +0.3 | ... | Ajmere. | |
| 61.7 | 68.4 | 69.1 | 66.4 | .521 | .515 | .441 | .492 | +.008 | 73 | 46 | 33 | 50 | +5 | 3.3 | 3.0 | 3.2 | -0.2 | ... | Deesa. | |
| 62.4 | 68.4 | 69.5 | 66.8 | .520 | .560 | .529 | .517 | ? | 81 | 57 | 47 | 60 | ? | 4.1 | 5.0 | 4.6 | +0.5 | ... | Nowgong. | DECCAN. |
| 61.7 | 68.4 | 69.7 | 66.6 | .515 | .549 | .524 | .529 | +.029 | 73 | 52 | 43 | 56 | +5 | 3.5 | 4.0 | 3.8 | +1.1 | ... | Agra. | |
| 61.7 | 66.2 | 67.1 | 65.0 | .531 | .514 | .515 | .520 | -.003 | 88 | 57 | 54 | 66 | +3 | 4.6 | 5.3 | 5.0 | +0.3 | ... | Belgaum. | |
| 62.2 | 68.1 | 69.5 | 66.6 | .501 | .514 | .472 | .495 | +.007 | 71 | 47 | 36 | 51 | +1 | 4.3 | 5.6 | 5.0 | +0.1 | ... | Sholapur. | |
| 61.4 | 66.7 | 67.6 | 65.2 | .515 | .487 | .457 | .486 | -.003 | 81 | 48 | 41 | 57 | +4 | 4.1 | 4.8 | 4.5 | -0.1 | ... | Poona. | DECCAN. |
| 62.9 | 69.8 | 71.4 | 68.0 | .528 | .561 | .515 | .536 | +.036 | 75 | 51 | 39 | 55 | +4 | 3.2 | 4.6 | 3.9 | +0.2 | ... | Akola. | |

Table

Abstract of Observations recorded at 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | STATION. | Elevation of Bar-Cistern above sea level in feet. | PRESSURE. | | | | | | TEMPERATURE OF AIR. | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------------|------------------------|--|---------------------|---------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|------------------------|------|
| | | | Mean of 10 hours. | Mean of 16 hours. | Mean daily range. | Mean daily pressure. | Variation from normal. | Mean reduced to sea level and for gravity 45° Lat. | Mean maximum. | Mean minimum. | Mean daily range. | Highest maximum. | Lowest minimum. | Absolute range. | Mean 10 hours. | Mean 16 hours. | Mean daily. | Variation from normal. | |
| DECCAN | Buldana . . . | 2,132 | 27.744 | 27.635 | .109 | 27.687 | -.018 | 29.726 | 87.0 | 67.6 | 19.4 | 106.4 | 53.1 | 53.3 | 80.1 | 84.9 | 76.9 | -0.1 | |
| | Khandwa . . . | ... | 28.814 | 28.688 | .126 | 28.748 | -.015 | .737 | 90.8 | 67.9 | 22.9 | 111.7 | 44.1 | 67.6 | 81.4 | 88.8 | 78.7 | +0.6 | |
| | Hoshangabad . . . | ... | .821 | .693 | .128 | .755 | ? | .722 | 89.5 | 69.1 | 20.4 | 111.1 | 44.8 | 66.3 | 81.4 | 88.0 | 78.8 | ? | |
| | Nagpur . . . | ... | .827 | .698 | .129 | .760 | -.007 | .727 | 91.2 | 69.2 | 22.0 | 115.2 | 47.0 | 68.2 | 83.0 | 88.4 | 79.6 | +0.2 | |
| | Jubbulpore . . . | ... | 28.522 | 28.401 | .121 | 28.458 | -.011 | .731 | 87.7 | 65.5 | 22.2 | 110.7 | 40.9 | 69.8 | 79.4 | 84.9 | 75.7 | +0.4 | |
| | Saugor . . . | ... | .088 | 27.980 | .108 | .031 | -.004 | .724 | 87.4 | 66.8 | 20.6 | 109.8 | 44.0 | 65.8 | 80.2 | 85.1 | 76.3 | +0.7 | |
| | Rajpur . . . | ... | .879 | 28.750 | .129 | .812 | -.012 | .711 | 90.4 | 70.1 | 20.3 | 114.2 | 49.6 | 64.6 | 82.6 | 88.1 | 79.8 | +0.9 | |
| | Sutna . . . | ... | .788 | .674 | .114 | .727 | -.018 | .721 | 87.6 | 67.3 | 20.3 | 112.1 | 41.2 | 70.9 | 81.0 | 84.8 | 77.0 | ? | |
| | Hyderabad (Deccan) . . . | ... | .204 | .080 | .124 | .142 | ? | .751 | 89.5 | 69.1 | 20.4 | 107.3 | 51.7 | 55.6 | 81.8 | 86.6 | 78.6 | ? | |
| WEST COAST | Bombay . . . | ... | 29.875 | 29.773 | .102 | 29.820 | -.003 | .797 | 85.6 | 75.0 | 10.6 | 93.0 | 64.0 | 29.0 | 80.9 | 82.7 | 79.5 | 0 | |
| | Ratanagiri . . . | ... | .803 | .701 | .102 | .747 | +0.01 | .794 | 87.4 | 73.7 | 13.7 | 97.5 | 62.3 | 35.2 | 83.9 | 83.6 | 79.5 | +0.3 | |
| | Karwar . . . | ... | .886 | .782 | .104 | .830 | -.002 | .805 | 86.6 | 73.0 | 13.6 | 93.3 | 62.1 | 31.2 | 81.7 | 83.9 | 79.1 | +0.5 | |
| | Cochin . . . | ... | .931 | .840 | .091 | .681 | -.004 | .818 | 88.0 | 74.6 | 13.4 | 98.3 | 67.8 | 30.5 | 83.0 | 84.7 | 80.5 | +0.2 | |
| SOUTH INDIA | Salem . . . | ... | 28.995 | 28.853 | .142 | 28.932 | -.0.9 | .795 | 93.1 | 71.3 | 21.8 | 105.1 | 57.3 | 47.8 | 83.9 | 89.5 | 80.4 | +0.9 | |
| | Mysore . . . | ... | 27.439 | 27.320 | .119 | 27.380 | ? | .785 | 86.0 | 65.3 | 20.7 | 95.9 | 52.9 | 43.0 | 77.5 | 82.6 | 74.8 | ? | |
| | Mercara . . . | ... | 26.242 | 26.153 | .089 | 26.206 | -.002 | .833 | 75.4 | 61.7 | 13.7 | 85.6 | 51.0 | 34.6 | 69.5 | 71.5 | 67.6 | -0.1 | |
| | Bangalore . . . | ... | .942 | .830 | .112 | .891 | -.022 | .766 | 84.6 | 63.9 | 20.7 | 97.1 | 52.1 | 45.0 | 76.4 | 81.3 | 73.5 | +0.2 | |
| | Hassan . . . | ... | .886 | .783 | .103 | .840 | ? | .792 | 82.0 | 62.0 | 20.0 | 94.0 | 47.0 | 47.0 | 75.8 | 78.3 | 71.1 | ? | |
| | Chitaldroog . . . | ... | 27.524 | 27.406 | .118 | 27.468 | ? | .764 | 86.0 | 66.9 | 19.1 | 98.4 | 53.0 | 45.4 | 78.2 | 83.7 | 75.9 | ? | |
| | Trichinopoly . . . | ... | 29.657 | 29.515 | .142 | 29.594 | -.017 | .778 | 95.0 | 74.5 | 20.5 | 106.8 | 60.3 | 46.5 | 87.5 | 91.9 | 83.4 | +1.1 | |
| | Madras . . . | ... | .885 | .773 | .112 | .833 | -.009 | .784 | 91.5 | 74.7 | 16.8 | 109.7 | 60.6 | 49.1 | 86.2 | 85.9 | 81.8 | +0.1 | |
| | Bellary . . . | ... | 28.438 | 28.300 | .138 | 28.371 | -.005 | .766 | 93.4 | 70.4 | 23.0 | 105.0 | 55.9 | 49.1 | 83.2 | 89.3 | 81.7 | -0.3 | |
| | Vizagapatam . . . | ... | 29.842 | 29.728 | .114 | 29.783 | -.014 | .751 | 85.4 | 78.8 | 6.6 | 95.5 | 64.9 | 31.6 | 83.2 | 84.6 | 82.5 | -0.2 | |
| | Cocanada . . . | ... | .855 | .731 | .124 | .794 | ? | .754 | 89.0 | 74.6 | 14.4 | 109.1 | 59.6 | 49.5 | 84.1 | 86.9 | 81.3 | ? | |
| | HILL STATION, BALUCHISTAN. | Quetta . . . | ... | 24.622 | 24.548 | .074 | 24.578 | -.001 | ? | 72.0 | 44.0 | 28.0 | 97.3 | 14.9 | 82.4 | 64.0 | 68.8 | 57.2 | -1.0 |
| | HILL STATIONS, NORTHERN INDIA. | Leh . . . | 11,503 | 19.686 | 19.603 | .083 | 19.651 | -.011 | ? | 54.4 | 29.9 | 24.5 | 85.4 | -9.5 | 94.9 | 44.4 | 49.3 | 41.2 | +0.1 |
| | | Srinagar . . . | ... | 24.884 | 24.795 | .089 | 24.832 | ? | ? | 64.2 | 44.5 | 19.7 | 89.3 | 19.1 | 70.2 | 54.5 | 63.1 | 54.1 | ? |
| | | Murree . . . | ... | 23.828 | 23.792 | .036 | 23.802 | -.020 | ? | 64.0 | 51.1 | 12.9 | 92.0 | 24.5 | 67.5 | 59.1 | 59.7 | 56.5 | -0.4 |
| | Chamba . . . | 3,005 | 26.875 | 26.789 | .086 | 26.840 | -.018 | ? | 76.1 | 56.8 | 19.3 | 104.6 | 32.0 | 72.6 | 66.6 | 72.1 | 64.4 | -0.9 | |
| | Kailang . . . | 10,037 | 20.792 | 20.722 | .070 | 20.760 | 0 | ? | 53.3 | 31.6 | 21.7 | 81.2 | -1.0 | 82.2 | 44.9 | 48.8 | 40.4 | -0.3 | |
| | Simla (Ridge) . . . | ... | 23.097 | 23.051 | .046 | 23.066 | -.014 | ? | 60.2 | 49.7 | 10.5 | 83.4 | 28.0 | 55.4 | 56.1 | 57.3 | 54.2 | -1.1 | |
| | Chakrata . . . | ... | .321 | .262 | .059 | .284 | -.008 | ? | 62.9 | 49.7 | 13.2 | 85.3 | 28.9 | 56.4 | 58.5 | 59.2 | 55.4 | -0.5 | |
| | Ranikhet . . . | ... | 24.096 | 24.026 | .070 | 24.049 | -.001 | ? | 66.9 | 53.5 | 13.4 | 88.4 | 32.4 | 56.0 | 62.1 | 63.5 | 59.3 | -0.4 | |
| | Katmandu . . . | 4,338 | 25.599 | 25.512 | .087 | 25.554 | -.019 | ? | 76.8 | 54.6 | 22.2 | 94.4 | 31.2 | 63.2 | 67.0 | 71.1 | 64.1 | -0.9 | |
| | Darjeeling . . . | ... | 22.977 | 22.898 | .079 | 22.935 | -.008 | ? | 58.2 | 48.2 | 10.0 | 71.9 | 31.2 | 40.7 | 54.9 | 55.5 | 52.5 | +0.7 | |
| | Demagri . . . | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | 83.6 | 60.6 | 23.0 | 93.9 | 48.1 | 45.8 | 69.0 | 75.8 | 70.1 | +1.3 | |
| | Tura . . . | 3,943 | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | 81.5 | 68.0 | 13.5 | 96.9 | 50.4 | 46.5 | 76.0 | 78.5 | 74.0 | ? | |
| HILL STATIONS, CENTAL INDIA. | Mount Abu . . . | ... | 26.032 | 25.957 | .075 | 25.990 | -.026 | ? | 74.2 | 61.4 | 12.8 | 92.4 | 41.1 | 51.3 | 69.9 | 72.1 | 67.3 | -1.2 | |
| | Pachmarhi . . . | ... | .443 | 26.351 | .092 | 26.394 | +0.002 | ? | 79.2 | 62.2 | 17.0 | 99.7 | 39.5 | 60.2 | 73.7 | 76.6 | 70.2 | +0.7 | |
| | Chikalda . . . | 3,642 | .318 | .226 | .092 | .269 | -.016 | ? | 78.6 | 64.3 | 14.3 | 99.2 | 52.4 | 46.8 | 72.6 | 76.5 | 71.0 | -0.2 | |
| HILL STATIONS, SOUTH INDIA. | Wellington . . . | ... | 24.254 | 24.178 | .076 | 24.216 | -.009 | ? | 70.8 | 52.7 | 18.1 | 81.2 | 37.1 | 44.1 | 66.8 | 65.6 | 60.5 | -0.6 | |

II—contd.

at 89 Stations in India, Burma, etc., in the year 1894—contd.

| TEMPERATURE, WET-BULB. | | | | VAPOUR TENSION. | | | | | HUMIDITY. | | | | | CLOUD. | | | | Total rainfall for the year. | STATION. | METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. |
|------------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|------------------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|------------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------|--|
| Mean minimum. | Mean 10 hours. | Mean 16 hours. | Mean daily. | From minimum. | Mean 10 hours. | Mean 16 hours. | Mean daily. | Variation from normal. | From minimum. | Mean 10 hours. | Mean 16 hours. | Mean daily. | Variation from normal. | Mean 10 hours. | Mean 16 hours. | Mean daily. | Variation from normal. | | | |
| 61.1 | 66.5 | 67.0 | 64.9 | .471 | .492 | .450 | .472 | -.003 | 69 | 50 | 41 | 53 | +1 | 3.2 | 4.4 | 3.8 | -0.2 | 40.31 | Buldana . . | DECCAN—contd. |
| 61.6 | 68.6 | 69.9 | 66.7 | .497 | .554 | .509 | .520 | +0.019 | 71 | 53 | 41 | 55 | +2 | 3.6 | 4.3 | 4.0 | +0.6 | ... | Khandwa. | |
| 63.6 | 70.3 | 71.9 | 68.6 | .545 | .620 | .594 | .586 | ? | 75 | 60 | 49 | 62 | ? | 4.3 | 5.1 | 4.7 | ? | ... | Hoshangabad. | |
| 62.9 | 70.1 | 71.1 | 68.0 | .518 | .588 | .556 | .554 | +0.034 | 72 | 54 | 45 | 57 | +4 | 3.9 | 5.2 | 4.6 | +0.1 | ... | Nagpur. | |
| 61.9 | 68.3 | 69.6 | 66.6 | .540 | .571 | .550 | .553 | +0.051 | 83 | 59 | 49 | 64 | +6 | 4.1 | 4.7 | 4.4 | +0.4 | ... | Jubbulpore. | |
| 60.8 | 67.4 | 68.7 | 65.6 | .483 | .529 | .511 | .508 | +0.056 | 72 | 54 | 46 | 57 | +7 | 3.4 | 3.9 | 3.7 | +0.9 | ... | Saugor. | |
| 64.0 | 70.2 | 71.0 | 68.4 | .540 | .587 | .547 | .557 | +0.010 | 72 | 54 | 44 | 57 | 0 | 4.3 | 5.2 | 4.8 | +0.8 | ... | Raipur. | |
| 61.2 | 68.4 | 68.8 | 66.1 | .500 | .561 | .525 | .529 | +0.072 | 72 | 55 | 47 | 58 | +8 | 3.3 | 3.9 | 3.6 | +0.4 | ... | Sutna. | |
| 64.8 | 70.0 | 70.4 | 68.4 | .571 | .593 | .548 | .571 | ? | 80 | 56 | 46 | 61 | ? | 4.0 | 4.5 | 4.3 | ? | ... | Hyderabad, (Decan). | |
| 70.8 | 74.5 | 75.5 | 73.6 | .707 | .779 | .791 | .759 | -.019 | 81 | 73 | 71 | 75 | -2 | 4.1 | 3.9 | 4.0 | -0.3 | ... | Bombay . . | WEST COAST. |
| 70.1 | 75.1 | 76.5 | 73.9 | .701 | .764 | .824 | .763 | +0.024 | 83 | 66 | 72 | 74 | +2 | 3.9 | 4.3 | 4.1 | +1.1 | ... | Ratnagiri. | |
| 71.1 | 74.6 | 76.0 | 74.0 | .740 | .768 | .794 | .774 | ? | 89 | 71 | 69 | 77 | ? | 3.3 | 3.8 | 3.6 | -0.2 | ... | Karwar. | |
| 72.6 | 76.0 | 77.0 | 75.2 | .777 | .810 | .825 | .804 | -.010 | 90 | 72 | 70 | 77 | -3 | 3.7 | 5.0 | 4.4 | -0.3 | ... | Cochin. | |
| 68.8 | 73.0 | 73.6 | 71.8 | .678 | .671 | .622 | .657 | -.035 | 88 | 58 | 46 | 64 | -4 | 4.6 | 6.2 | 5.4 | +1.0 | ... | Salem . . | SOUTH INDIA. |
| 63.9 | 68.8 | 69.4 | 67.4 | .584 | .600 | .559 | .581 | ? | 93 | 63 | 52 | 69 | ? | 4.8 | 5.2 | 5.0 | ? | ... | Mysore. | |
| 59.8 | 64.5 | 66.0 | 63.5 | .496 | .555 | .582 | .544 | +0.008 | 89 | 77 | 76 | 81 | +1 | 6.1 | 6.5 | 6.3 | -0.2 | ... | Mercara. | |
| 62.0 | 67.5 | 67.6 | 65.7 | .539 | .576 | .521 | .546 | +0.014 | 90 | 64 | 51 | 68 | +1 | 5.0 | 4.3 | 4.7 | +0.1 | ... | Bangalore. | |
| 58.5 | 66.8 | 67.4 | 64.2 | .458 | .557 | .549 | .521 | ? | 81 | 63 | 59 | 68 | ? | 5.6 | 6.5 | 6.1 | ? | ... | Hassan. | |
| 60.9 | 67.4 | 67.4 | 65.2 | .466 | .542 | .474 | .494 | ? | 70 | 57 | 43 | 57 | ? | 4.7 | 5.4 | 5.1 | ? | ... | Chitaldroog. | |
| 70.3 | 74.0 | 74.7 | 73.0 | .689 | .661 | .631 | .660 | -.037 | 81 | 51 | 44 | 59 | -5 | 4.1 | 5.0 | 4.6 | -1.2 | ... | Trichinopoly. | |
| ? | 76.4 | 77.0 | 75.8 | ? | .785 | .816 | .818 | +0.045 | ? | 64 | 66 | 76 | +3 | 4.8 | 4.7 | 4.8 | -0.1 | ... | Madras. | |
| 64.8 | 69.8 | 70.3 | 68.3 | .551 | .564 | .509 | .542 | +0.001 | 74 | 50 | 39 | 54 | +2 | 5.6 | 6.5 | 6.1 | +1.2 | ... | Bellary. | |
| 71.1 | 75.6 | 76.6 | 74.4 | .666 | .802 | .826 | .765 | -.005 | 68 | 69 | 68 | 69 | +1 | 4.6 | 4.9 | 4.8 | +0.8 | ... | Vizagapatam. | |
| 72.1 | 76.1 | 77.1 | 75.1 | .768 | .801 | .808 | .792 | ? | 88 | 69 | 64 | 74 | ? | 3.5 | 3.5 | 3.5 | ? | ... | Cocanada. | |
| 39.9 | 50.4 | 52.0 | 47.5 | .226 | .254 | .240 | .240 | -.013 | 74 | 43 | 36 | 51 | +1 | 2.1 | 2.8 | 2.5 | +0.3 | ... | Quetta . . | HILL STATION, BALUCHISTAN, HILL STATIONS, NORTHERN INDIA. |
| 26.9 | 34.9 | 37.5 | 33.1 | .145 | .150 | .152 | .149 | +0.017 | 77 | 48 | 44 | 56 | +7 | 5.3 | 5.9 | 5.6 | +0.3 | 9.14 | Lch. . . | |
| 43.6 | 51.0 | 57.0 | 50.5 | .309 | .386 | .456 | .384 | ? | 93 | 80 | 71 | 82 | ? | 4.8 | 4.8 | 4.8 | ? | ... | Srinagar. | |
| 44.1 | 50.1 | 51.0 | 48.4 | .243 | .302 | .321 | .289 | +0.008 | 61 | 57 | 60 | 59 | +3 | 5.1 | 5.5 | 5.3 | +0.6 | ... | Murree. | |
| 53.5 | 58.4 | 60.8 | 57.5 | .404 | .430 | .436 | .423 | +0.019 | 81 | 63 | 55 | 66 | +7 | 5.2 | 6.2 | 5.7 | +0.9 | 80.41 | Chamba. | HILL STATIONS, CENTRAL INDIA. |
| 29.8 | 37.7 | 39.4 | 35.7 | .174 | .202 | .192 | .189 | +0.008 | 85 | 60 | 52 | 66 | +4 | 5.0 | 6.3 | 5.7 | +0.1 | 38.79 | Kailang. | |
| 44.3 | 48.7 | 50.3 | 47.8 | .257 | .291 | .315 | .287 | -.008 | 67 | 61 | 64 | 64 | +3 | 5.2 | 6.2 | 5.7 | +0.8 | ... | Simla (Ridge). | |
| 45.7 | 51.4 | 52.4 | 49.8 | .286 | .331 | .346 | .323 | +0.028 | 75 | 65 | 67 | 69 | +6 | 5.0 | 6.1 | 5.6 | +0.9 | ... | Chakrata. | |
| 49.8 | 54.6 | 55.6 | 53.3 | .340 | .372 | .382 | .365 | +0.024 | 79 | 65 | 64 | 69 | +6 | 4.9 | 5.5 | 5.2 | +0.8 | ... | Ranikhet. | |
| 53.0 | 60.1 | 62.1 | 58.4 | .417 | .469 | .476 | .455 | +0.009 | 89 | 69 | 60 | 73 | +2 | 4.8 | 5.7 | 5.3 | +0.8 | 51.23 | Katmandu. | |
| 46.5 | 52.2 | 52.7 | 50.4 | .318 | .381 | .386 | .362 | +0.010 | 88 | 84 | 84 | 85 | +1 | 7.3 | 7.8 | 7.6 | +1.0 | ... | Darjeeling. | |
| ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | ? | 140.98 | Demagiri. | |
| ? | 69.3 | 70.1 | ? | ? | .659 | .656 | ? | ? | ? | 72 | 68 | ? | ? | 5.5 | 5.8 | 5.7 | +1.2 | 114.02 | Tura. | |
| 54.6 | 59.5 | 60.9 | 58.3 | .365 | .404 | .470 | .396 | +0.038 | 66 | 56 | 55 | 59 | +8 | 3.6 | 3.6 | 3.6 | -0.1 | ... | Mount Abu . | |
| 56.0 | 61.9 | 62.8 | 60.2 | .398 | .429 | .425 | .418 | +0.006 | 70 | 54 | 57 | 58 | +1 | 4.2 | 4.8 | 4.5 | +0.4 | ... | Pachmarhi. | |
| 58.0 | 62.4 | 65.6 | 61.3 | .423 | .456 | .447 | .442 | +0.008 | 70 | 60 | 53 | 61 | +2 | 4.8 | 5.7 | 5.3 | +1.0 | 78.60 | Chikalda . . | HILL STATIONS, SOUTH INDIA. |
| 50.7 | 58.3 | 58.7 | 55.9 | .357 | .404 | .426 | .396 | +0.006 | 88 | 62 | 68 | 73 | +1 | 5.2 | 6.8 | 6.0 | +0.3 | ... | Wellington . | |

Table

Abstract of Observations recorded at 10 A.M. and 4 P.M.

| METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. | STATION. | Elevation of bar-cistern above sea level in feet. | PRESSURE. | | | | | | TEMPERATURE OF AIR. | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------|---|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---|---------------------|---------------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|------------------------|
| | | | Mean of 10 hours. | Mean of 10 hours. | Mean daily range. | Mean daily pressure. | Variation from normal. | Mean reduced to sea level and to gravity 45° Lat. | Mean maximum. | Mean minimum. | Mean daily range. | Highest maximum. | Lowest minimum. | Absolute range. | Mean 10 hours. | Mean 10 hours. | Mean daily. | Variation from normal. |
| EXTRA INDIA | Muscat . . . | ... | 29.852 | 29.772 | .080 | 29.812 | P | P | 83.2 | 78.8 | 4.4 | 102.3 | 57.9 | 44.4 | 82.0 | 82.5 | 80.9 | P |
| | Aden . . . | ... | .829 | .699 | .130 | .760 | -018 | 29.786 | 88.2 | 77.9 | 10.3 | 99.5 | 68.4 | 31.1 | 84.1 | 85.8 | 82.5 | +0.5 |
| | Perim . . . | ... | .671 | .557 | .114 | .610 | P | P | 89.8 | 79.6 | 10.2 | 99.5 | 68.9 | 30.6 | 86.1 | 86.3 | 83.8 | P |
| | Minicoy . . . | ... | .951 | .856 | .095 | .901 | P | .835 | 87.1 | P | P | P | P | P | 83.5 | 81.1 | P | P |
| | Zanzibar . . . | ... | .985 | .887 | .098 | .940 | P | .935 | 83.5 | 76.2 | 7.3 | 89.2 | 68.5 | 20.7 | 79.8 | 82.7 | 79.7 | P |
| | Port Victoria (Seychelles). | ... | .983 | .902 | .081 | .938 | P | .896 | 82.2 | 76.5 | 5.7 | 86.4 | 70.7 | 15.7 | 80.6 | 81.0 | 79.1 | |

II—concl'd.

at 89 stations in India, Burma, etc., in the year 1894—concl'd.

| TEMPERATURE WET-BULB. | | | | VAPOUR TENSION. | | | | | HUMIDITY. | | | | | CLOUD. | | | | RAIN-FALL. | STATION. | METEOROLOGICAL PROVINCE. |
|-----------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|------------------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|------------------------|----------------|----------------|-------------|------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Mean minimum. | Mean 10 hours. | Mean 16 hours. | Mean daily. | From minimum. | Mean 10 hours. | Mean 16 hours. | Mean daily. | Variation from normal. | From minimum. | Mean 10 hours. | Mean 16 hours. | Mean daily. | Variation from normal. | Mean 10 hours. | Mean 16 hours. | Mean daily. | Variation from normal. | Total rainfall for the year. | | |
| 70.0 | 74.4 | 75.0 | 73.1 | .633 | .770 | .788 | .731 | ? | 64 | 69 | 70 | 68 | ? | 1.3 | 1.5 | 1.4 | ? | ... | Muscat | EXTRA INDIA. |
| 72.0 | 75.9 | 75.2 | 74.4 | .712 | .794 | .739 | .748 | 0 | 74 | 68 | 60 | 67 | -1 | 2.9 | 1.1 | 2.0 | -0.6 | ... | Aden. | |
| 70.4 | 76.8 | 76.5 | 74.6 | .631 | .802 | .788 | .740 | ? | 63 | 64 | 63 | 63 | ? | 2.3 | 1.9 | 2.1 | ? | ... | Perim. | |
| 74.6 | 77.4 | 77.6 | 76.6 | ? | .862 | .861 | ? | ? | ? | 75 | 74 | ? | ? | 4.9 | 5.4 | 5.2 | ? | ... | Minicoy. | |
| 73.5 | 75.5 | 75.7 | 74.9 | .792 | .828 | .798 | .806 | ? | 88 | 81 | 71 | 80 | ? | 4.5 | 3.7 | 4.1 | ? | ... | Zanzibar. | |
| 72.6 | 74.9 | 75.1 | 74.2 | .748 | .791 | .792 | .777 | ? | 82 | 76 | 75 | 77 | ? | 6.2 | 6.6 | 6.4 | ? | 55.71 | Port Victoria (Seychelles). | |

EXPLANATION OF PLATES.

PLATE I.—A chart of India showing the 11 meteorological provinces and 51 districts of India.

PLATE II.—A chart of India showing the variation of the rainfall of the months of January and February 1894 from the normal. This chart and the three following charts have been prepared to illustrate the data given in Table XIX. These charts are drawn up in the same manner as the rainfall chart (Plate V) in the Monthly Weather Reviews of the year 1894.

PLATE III.—A chart of India showing the variation of the rainfall of the month of March to May 1894 from the normal.

PLATE IV.—A chart of India showing the variation of the rainfall of the months of June to October 1894 from the normal.

PLATE V.—A chart of India showing the variation of the rainfall of the months of November and December 1894 from the normal.

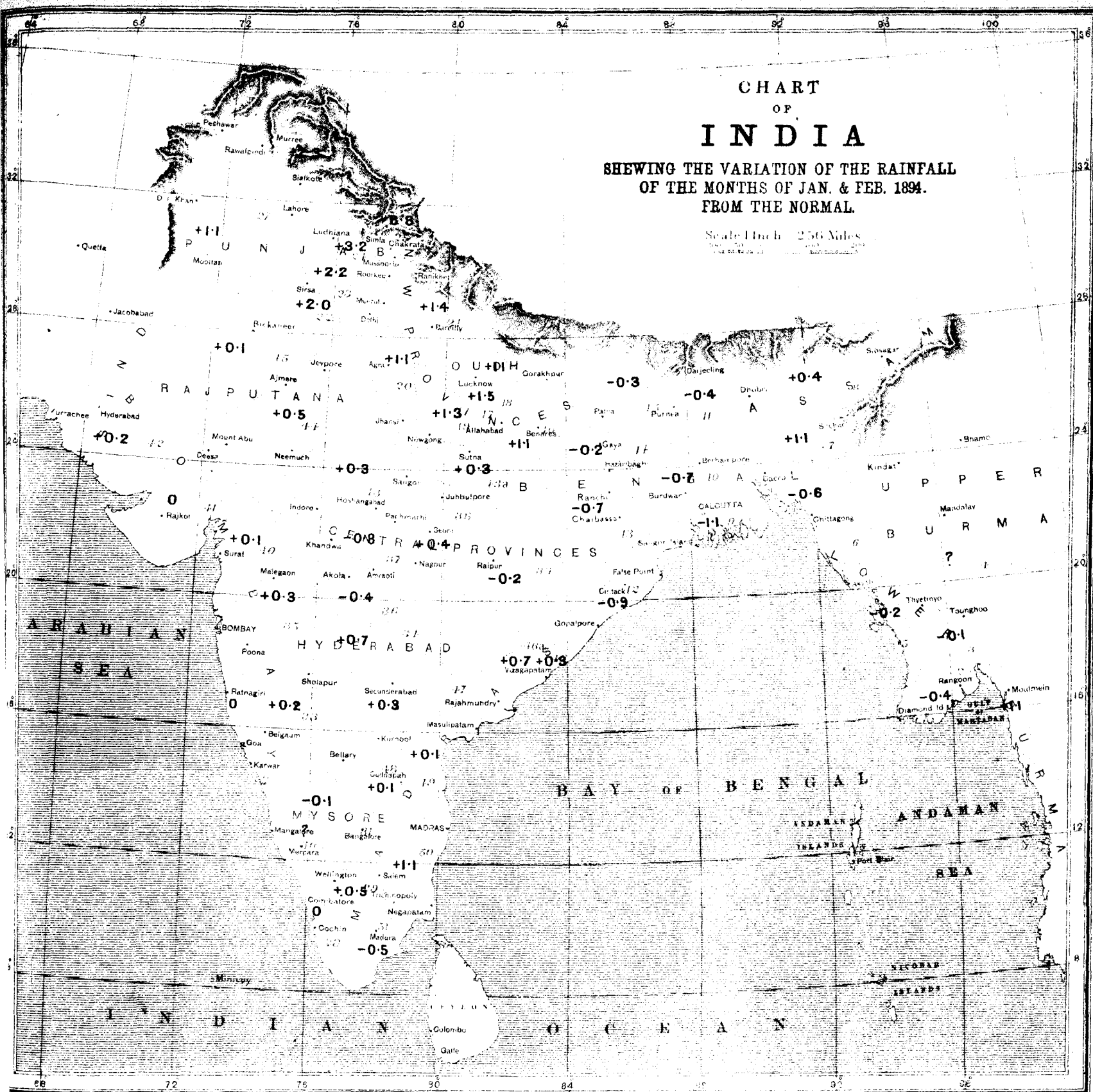
PLATE VI.—Chart showing the tracks of the more important cyclonic storms of 1894 in the Indian area during the south-west monsoon, a brief summary of which is given on pages 613 to 615.



Explanation.

The name of the districts can be at once ascertained by referring in the following list to the number given near the right hand boundary of each district in small slanting figures.

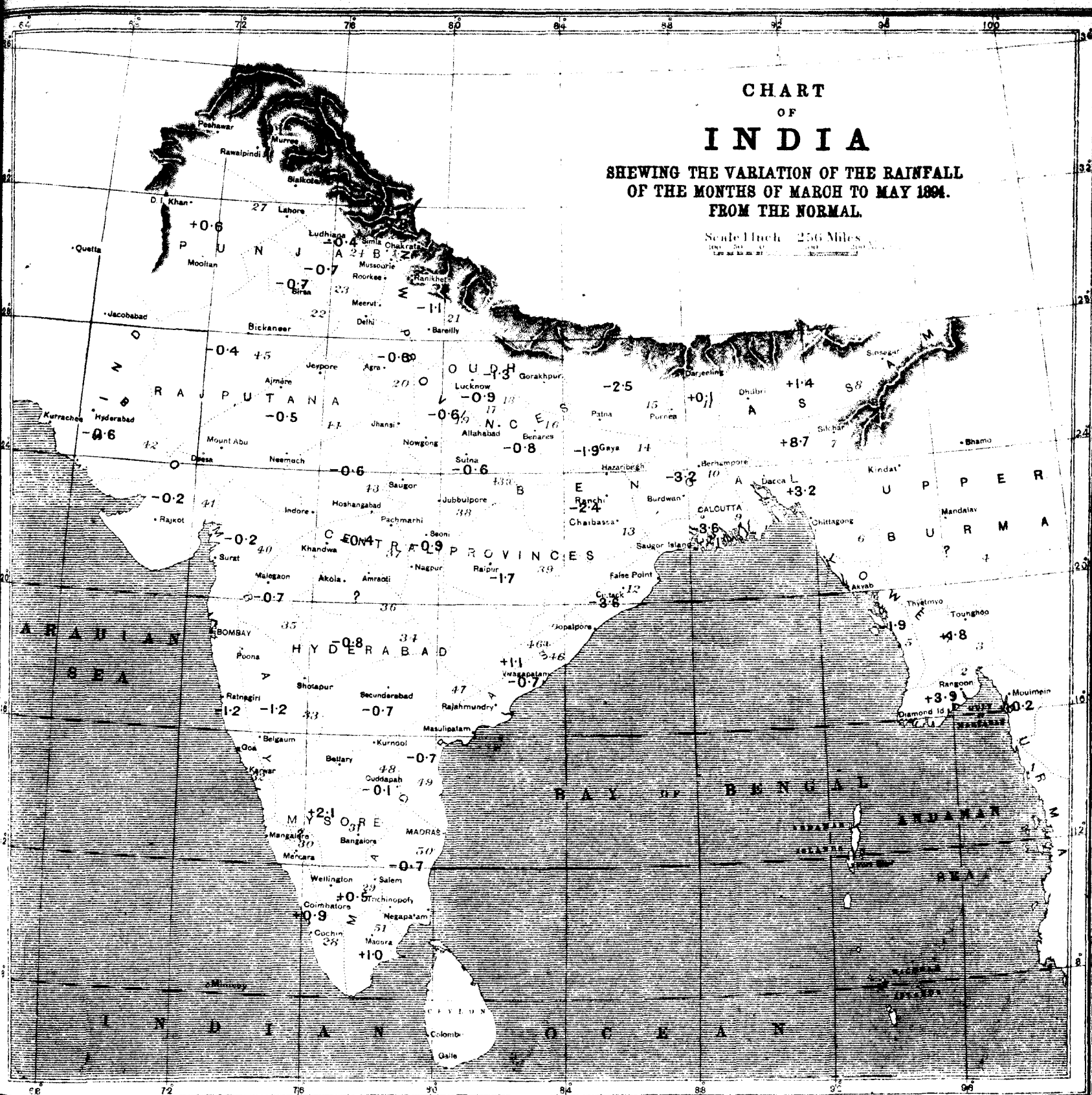
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|----------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|---|
| 1. Tanasserim | 14. Behar (South) | 27. Punjab (West) | 40. Gujarat |
| 2. Lower Burma | 15. Do. (North) | 28. Malabar | 41. Kathiawar |
| 3. Central do. | 16. North Western Provinces (East) | 29. Madras (South Central) | 42. Sind |
| 4. Upper do. | 17. Oudh (South) | 30. Coorg | 43. Central India (East) |
| 5. Arakan | 18. Do. (North) | 31. Mysore | 44. Rajputana (East) Central India (West) |
| 6. Eastern Bengal | 19. North Western Provinces (Central) | 32. Konkan | 45. Rajputana (West) |
| 7. Assam (Surma) | 20. Do. do. (West) | 33. Bombay Deccan | 46. East Coast (North) |
| 8. Do. (Brahmaputra) | 21. Do. do (Submontane) | 34. Hyderabad (North) | 46(a). Do. do. (a) |
| 9. Deltaic Bengal | 22. Punjab (South) | 35. Khandeish | 47. Hyderabad (South) |
| 10. Central do. | 23. Do. (Central) | 36. Berar | 48. Madras (Central) |
| 11. North do. | 24. Do. (Submontane) | 37. Central Provinces (West) | 49. East Coast (Central) |
| 12. Orissa | 25. Do. (Hill Districts) | 38. Do. (Central) | 50. East Coast (South) |
| 13. Chota Nagpore | 26. Do. (North West) | 39. Do. (East) | 51. Madras (South) |



Explanation.

The Chart gives the variations of the rainfall of the month (to tenths of an inch) from the normal over the whole of India and Burma with the exception of Upper Burma, for which rainfall data have not been obtained for a sufficient number of years to furnish reliable and useful means. The country is divided into 51 areas, over each of which the meteorological conditions are fairly uniform, and the staple crops similar in character; and the means (both actual and normal for the month) have been calculated, and the numbers given in the centre of each division (usually with a + or - sign attached) give the difference between the actual and normal mean rainfall of the district of the month. A plus sign indicates that the rainfall was in excess, and a negative sign that it was in defect by the amounts indicated by the numbers to which the signs are attached. The name of the districts can be at once ascertained by referring in the following list to the number given near the right hand boundary of each district in small slanting figures.

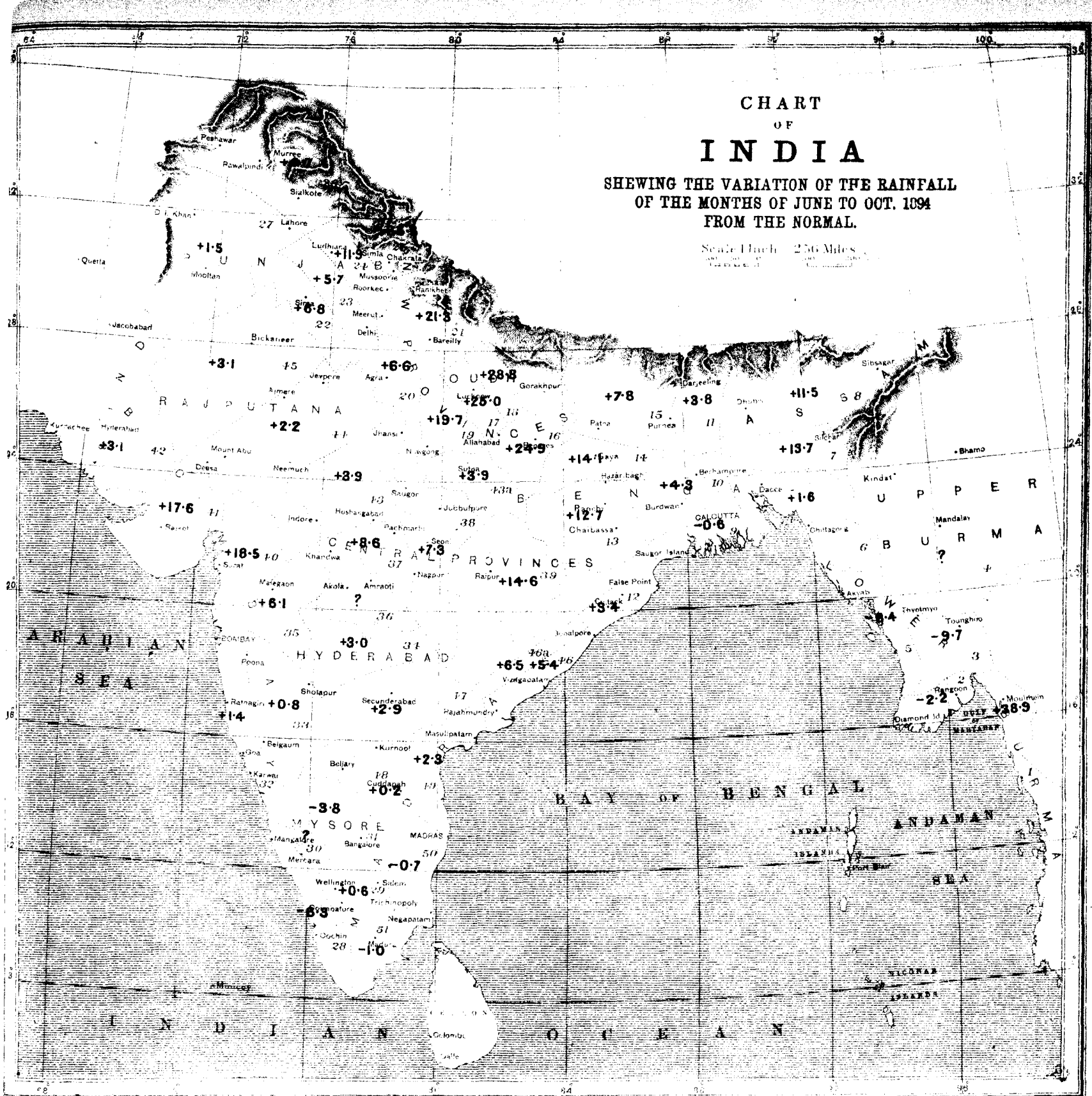
| | | | |
|----------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1. Tenasserim | 15. Behar (North) | 29. Madras (South Central) | 43. Central India (East) |
| 2. Lower Burma | 16. North Western Provinces (East) | 30. Coorg | 43(a). Do. do. (a) |
| 3. Central do. | 17. Oudh (South) | 31. Mysore | 44. Rajputana (East) Central India |
| 4. Upper do. | 18. Do. (North) | 32. Konkan | (West) |
| 5. Arakan | 19. North Western Provinces (Central) | 33. Bombay Deccan | 45. Rajputana (West) |
| 6. Eastern Bengal | 20. Do. do. (West) | 34. Hyderabad (North) | 46. East Coast (North) |
| 7. Assam (Surma) | 21. Do. do (Submontane) | 35. Khandeish | 46(a). Do. do. (a) |
| 8. Do. (Brahmaputra) | 22. Punjab (South) | 36. Berar | 47. Hyderabad (South) |
| 9. Deltaic Bengal | 23. Do. (Central) | 37. Central Provinces (West) | 48. Madras (Central) |
| 10. Central do. | 24. Do. (Submontane) | 38. Do. (Central) | 49. East Coast (Central) |
| 11. North do. | 25. Do. (Hill Districts) | 39. Do. (East) | 50. East Coast (South) |
| 12. Orissa | 26. Do. (North West) | 40. Gujarat | 51. Madras (South) |
| 13. Chota Nagpore | 27. Do. (West) | 41. Kathiawar | |
| 14. Behar (South) | 28. Malabar | 42. Sind | |



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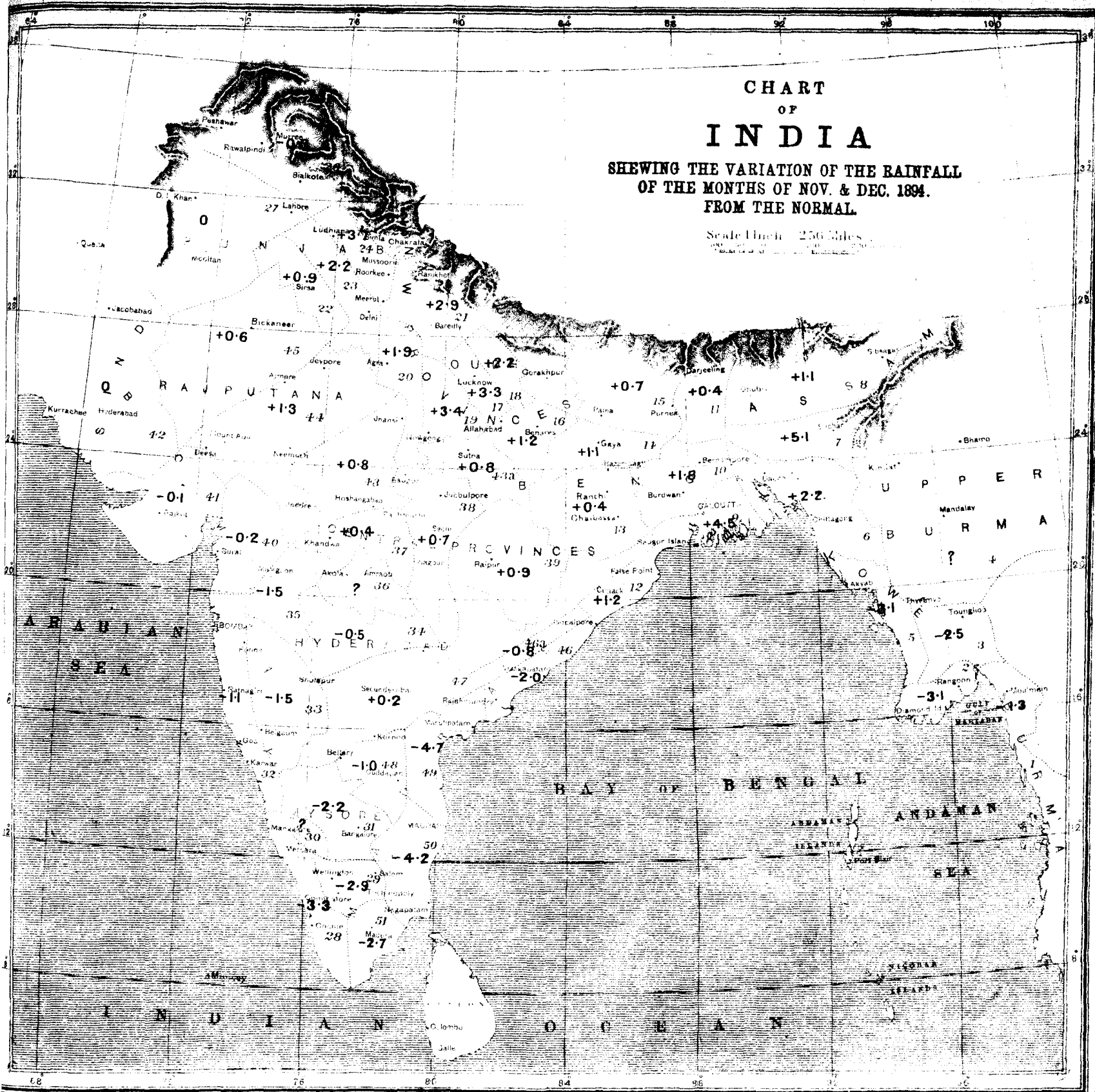
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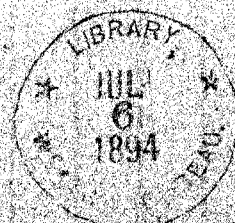
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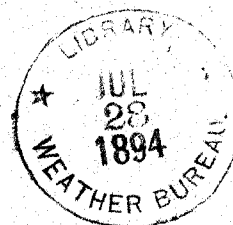
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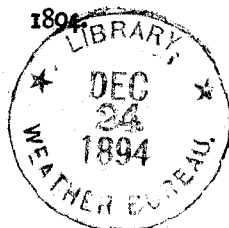
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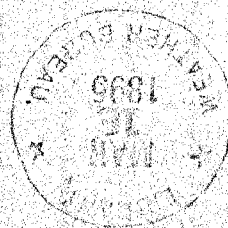
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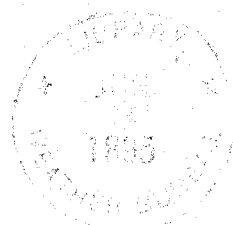
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